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GENERAL NEWS

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE OREGONIAN

The Indians Must Go.

St Louis, Dec 30—Five chiefs of the Ute nation arrive here to day en route to Washington from Colorado to consult with the Indian department relative to the sale by them to the government of another strip of their reservation It is said to be very valuable as mineral district

Lost on the North Coast

PORTLAND Me. Dec 30—The schooner Emma, from Bangor for Provincetown is supposed to be lost with a crew of four

Rumor Supposed to be Lost is Heard from.

NEW YORK, Dec 30 —The steamer *Glamorgan* from China and Japan for this port and Liverpool, having been heard from She left Bermuda on December 16th and sailed the same day for her destination

Hoping for the Best.

Friends of the captain and chief engineer of the *Lady B Sander* have strong hope that he and their associates who left the sinking vessel on a raft have been rescued The engineer some years ago constructed a raft from which he was saved after floating upon it ten days subsequent to the loss of his ship As the reports make no mention of the use of a metallic life raft carried on the steamer it is supposed that its air tight cylinders were used as a basis of a larger and more comfortable refuge constructed by the engineer As such a raft would be more seaworthy than any open boat the chances for the safety of its occupants seem greater than were those of the two sailors rescued from a batch

A Fatal Fever in New York.

NEW YORK, Dec. 30—One hundred and twenty deaths occurred during the past week from fever, an increase of 80 upon the previous week impels the board of health to action

A Bill to Relieve Ship Owners.

A number of congress from this state has introduced a bill for the relief of those ship masters who were compelled to pay a fine for bringing aliens on vessels and to which exception of the government was called in the San Francisco custom house some years ago

An Interesting Case

PORTLAND, Dec. 30—In the action brought by Mrs. Jane against the Granite Mills Co of Westbrook, to recover damages for injuries received in the terrible fire of September 19 last, the jury being able only to escape from the burning building by a gable window on the upper floor, the supreme judicial court has rendered a decision holding that it is not the duty of a mill proprietors, in building property necessary for business, to provide means of escape to ensure safety to an employed from consequences of fire not caused by the employer's negligence

A Narrow Gauge Train.

NEW YORK, Dec 30—To morrow morning will run the new consolidation engines, with a train of 20 narrow gauge freight cars will leave Jersey City for the west over the Erie railroad tracks. This will be the first narrow gauge train ever run on that road westward of Elmira the gauge was being reduced to the standard, the management pushed the construction of the entire new equipment so that the last rail was laid changing the gauge the locomotives and cars were ready

The Fever Investigation.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 30—The yellow fever experts have arrived from Washington, and the assembly committee have heard the report of experts who investigated the subject

A Defaulting Manager

NEW YORK, Dec. 30—Charles H Stickney pleads guilty to embezzling $20 000 from the Brooklyn gas company Sentence reserved

Fire Robbery at Chicago

CHICAGO, Dec. 30.—Considerable excitement was manifest among the Bohemians on Saturday night, when they discovered that their cemetery had been violated by the remains of a twelve year old girl Stubing taken from a vault Tuesday night discovered the body in the morgue of the Chicago medical college but unknown as to the perpetrators of the deed

WASHINGTON CITY.

Freedmen Funds Investigation.

WASHINGTON, Dec 30—The financial officer of the bureau has $10,000 for the Teller investigating committee, which met to day Chairman Cameron, Kirkwood Baily and Hill were constituted a sub committee to visit Richmond Thursday next for New Orleans and such other points as the sub committee may determine to take testimony before the full committee It is understood other sub committees will be appointed The president and attorney general are asked for all information in their possession compatible with public interests

Gold for the Mints

WASHINGTON, Dec 30—An assayer of the mint at Helena Montana leaves here to-morrow for the purchase of gold at Helena and other points from miners and from others who will sell, paying in exchange greenbacks The opening of this office will make known where the department is buying and at what terms The other three places are N C, Boise City and Denver Mints at Denver have so far been open at any other place

Thanksgiving Day—Currency Notes Presented for Gold

The secretary of the treasury laughs at an intimation that he will be in New York on Thursday to witness the effects of consumption Why he said a good many persons think there will be some violent demonstration on that day I have no idea there will be one of the most quiet days that has ever experienced There may be a few persons attracted by curiosity to the treasury to obtain a little coin or their currency but there will be no excitement The doors will be closed at the treasury department at 3 o'clock p m the available coin balance was $129 789 340 of which $200 000 000 is gold The receipts was $12 500 000 There were no notes put to-day in currency to per cent legal tender notes to gold

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EUROPEAN NEWS.

Stanley Coming Again.

LONDON Dec 30—It is stated that Dr Stanley contemplates revisiting America shortly

The Soudan is Past

GIBRALTAR Dec 30—The recent fatal epidemic has disappeared from Morocco

Died

LONDON Dec 30—Marquis Tweeddale is dead

A Doubtful Report

The report of the arrival of Yakoob Khan at Jellalabad seems doubtful

The Ameer's Little Game

CALCUTTA Dec 30—It is rumored that Shere Ali took with him thirty lacs of rupees and is going to St Peter burg, to appeal to Europe

A Tartar Outbreak

VIENNA Dec 30—The agitation reported among Tartars at Kasan, Russia, amounted to an outbreak and the first force sent against the insurgents were repulsed with heavy loss

Victoria the Ruler of Afghanistan

LONDON Dec 30—The *Standard's* correspondent with the Kuram column telegraphs that Gen Roberts convoked the principal inhabitants of Kuram valley at Peiwar and Ali Kheyl and informed them that the ameer's rule had passed away forever and henceforth they must look to the empress of India

Russia will Harbor Shere Ali.

ST PETERSBURG Dec 30—The *Golos* states that Russia's participation in Afghan affairs will probably be confined to offering Shere Ali the usual hospitality to royal visitors and maintenance

A Serious Squabble

VIENNA Dec 30—It is stated that eighty persons were killed or wounded in the recent encounter between the militia and students at Kieff

The Swiss Tariff

GENEVA, Dec 30—The new federal tariff is to be submitted to a popular vote

Distress of the Poor.

Great distress prevails in Switzerland Six thousand unemployed persons are in Geneva

Affairs of the Glasgow Bank

LONDON Dec 30—A call on the shareholders of the City of Glasgow Bank for an installment in liquidation of the bank's indebtedness has not been as satisfactory as anticipated

The Situation in Central Asia

LONDON Dec 30—The viceroy of India telegraphs that Major Cavagnari reports no further news of the ameer or Yakoob Khan The viceroy also announces that the Khan of Khelat desires to join in the alliance on Candahar

A Lahore dispatch says that the reported submission of Yakoob Khan is not confirmed

The French Mode

PARIS Dec 30—In consequence of angry words on Saturday between Baron Ragnat, a diplomatic attache, and Count Pacenell, a foreign officer, a duel with swords was fought yesterday The count received two wounds one serious

Rancasi the Assassin

MADRID Dec 30—The ministers favor the immediate execution of Moncasi The king is disposed to mercy

The Russian Student War.

LONDON, Dec 30—An account of the riot of the students of the University of Keiff, Russia says that the students in a meeting outside the town, decided to protest against the closing of the university A number well armed proceeded to the university forcing their way in after disarming the police and fixed on a blackboard an energetic protest against the arbitrary proceedings of the authorities Two companies of local militia tried to disperse the students A collision ensued and eighty persons were killed and wounded A cavalry force finally cleared the square in front of the university Some students were arrested Similar riots on a smaller scale broke out in other university towns It is believed that there is an intention of proclaiming a state of siege in Keiff and Kharkoff

Government Self Protection.

The police are instructed to stop the smuggling of revolutionary pamphlets and to prevent the entrance of evolutionary emissaries from Germany

Shere Ali's Hopes

LONDON Dec 30—The ameer of Afghanistan has 14 or 15 regiments at Herat and if he can retain his hold over them and maintain his supremacy in Afghan Turkistan he may still offer formidable opposition to Yakoob Khan or whatever ruler England sets up in southern Afghanistan The ameer released Yakoob under pressure from the Ghilsai chiefs, who would not allow him to leave Cabul without appointing his successor,

Proposed German Tariff

BERLIN, Dec 30—The all-absorbing topic is the financial situation The result of to morrow's sitting in the bundsrath when the chancellor's letter on the customs tariff will be considered is awaited with the greatest interest Free traders intend calling a huge meeting in this city soon for the purpose of protesting against Bismarck's policy

The Pope and the German Government

ROME, Dec 30—The Vatican organ the *Osservatore Romano* publishes a letter from the Pope to archbishop of Cologne The Pope says that from the commencement of his pontificate he has desired peace between princes people and the church He has turned his thoughts in preference toward the noble German nation, but God alone knows whether the work is near success He declares that he will continue in the path hitherto pursued and appeals to the German bishops to obey all laws not contrary to their faith, and concludes We must pray God to lead the noble and powerful emperor of Germany and his advisers to show more disposition towards goodwill The letter is dated December 24th

Russian Matters

ST PETERSBURG Dec 30 —When Gen Kaufmann arrives deliberations will begin on the gradual introduction of the system of administration in Turkistan conformably with the diversity of populations

The Chinese frontier question will also be fully discussed with the Chinese ambassador

Russia has no intention of surrendering Kuldja

It is reported the veterinary institute at Charkoff where the students agitation originated will be removed outside of town The technicum institute at Technguieff will be closed altogether and the medical academy will forbid debuts ations of students without permission from academical authorities,

Charged with Treason.

BELGRADE Dec 30—The *Official Journal* publishes an indictment for high treason against the pretender Karageorgewitch The indictment alleges that he formed a plot to assassinate Prince Milan at Semendria last November The prince however being warned disembarked at Prahovitza

THE PACIFIC COAST.

CALIFORNIA

The Title to the Town of Bodie and Half a Dozen Mines in Dispute

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec 30—The *Call* to morrow will publish a statement emanating from a party well informed on the subject to the effect that in January last the township in which the town and some of the principal mines of Bodie are located was surveyed under the authority of the federal government, when it was discovered that they were situated in section 16 By an act of congress of March 3 1853 the 16th and 36th section in each township were granted to the state Under the laws of California the occupants of such sections are held as preferred purchasers for six months after filing of plat of survey The parties in possession at Bodie having failed to avail themselves of the operation of the law other parties have filed application for purchase under the state title The mines included in this tract are Bodie South Bodie South Standard Champion South Bulwer and a portion of Bulwer A *Call* reporter interviewed U S Surveyor General Wagner this evening on the subject He expressed surprise at hearing the statement and stated that by the act of 1853 mineral lands were excluded from going to the state and that the present occupants could prove up and patent their claims under the federal law He said however that the determination of the question would probably cost enough to ruin both claimants and contestants

SAN FRANCISCO Dec 30—The publication of the title as to the Bodie mingling claim has created a sensation among the Bodieites in this city and to day they have been holding a meeting to consider what is best to do in the premises A gentleman prominently connected with Bodie properties informs your correspondent that holders under United States titles are disposed to consider the case serious Legal advice has been sought which is to the effect that the question of whether mineral lands on the 15th and 36th sections go to the state under the general law of 1857 has never been decided by the highest legal tribunal and that the question is at least an open one with chances in favor of the claimants under the state titles Bill Lent, one of the largest holders in the Bodie mines is disposed to fall back on his United States title but others, including some of the heaviest holders admit that the best thing to do is to compromise with the holders of state titles on the best possible terms It is stated that no deeds of state certificates have shown a disposition as far as approached to dispose of their title to the actual occupants and claimants under the United States title on reasonable terms and the general impression seems to be that this course will be adopted

The Bodie claimants are James Fawler, Robt Perrier Thomas Brown W H Brown C V Arnold S P Fugle C C Clay, D S Daggett Jr P Fugle, R C Miller, J F Cochran, John B Lewis Charles Jherron Eugene B James B F Barund J M Baun Applications were made on the 29th of September 1878 by J P Menix of 402 Kearney street San Francisco, The applicants each gaining 40 acres have paid the regular price for mineral lands, $2 50 per acre, and received from the state certificates of purchase Unless protests are made patents will issue on November 22 1879 Among adverse claimants occupying the ground at the time the applications were filed the following mining companies are mentioned Standard Bodie, Summit Chieftain, Savage, Belvidere Consolidated Pacific, Moon Bulwer, Goodshaw Demarcation Aurora, South Bodie, South Standard Red Cloud and Concordia

Surveyor General Mims has no knowledge of any difficulty in regard to Bodie land matters Some six months ago parties filed on the sixteenth section under the state law and have their certificates of purchase but no patents have as yet been issued thereon These being mineral lands, they are sold by the state at $2 50 per acre He has been informed that the parties desire to acquire possession under government title, and thinks perhaps that some issue has been begun on this point If so and a patent should be filed in his office against the issuance of a patent under the state law it would be respected by him and the courts would in the meantime settle the disputed question The persons in possession of mineral lands are preferred purchasers for one year from the date of filing in the land office and he thinks possible that the parties may have neglected to take the proper steps to hold their lands and that their right to hold may be in dispute He has no official knowledge, however, of any contests

The Weather in San Francisco

SAN FRANCISCO Dec 30—The wind has been blowing fresh from the southeast all morning, and the sky is heavily overcast The temperature is more moderate than for weeks past and a slight sprinkle of rain fell about ten A M

It rained lightly this afternoon and evening with prospects of more Advices from the interior throughout the state are generally to the effect that it is either raining or threatening to rain

Capt Howard's Statement

The afternoon [illegible] circumstances attendant upon the loss of the steamer *Georgia* was concluded by the U S commissioners taking the evidence of Howard captain of the wrecked steamer His testimony was to the effect that his bearings when last taken, were all right but that he had been deceived by the action of currents not well understood by navigators He repelled the charge of drunkenness and inattention to duty preferred against him by steerage passengers

O'Donnell Expelled by the Workingmen

At the sand lots to day a resolution was passed expelling C C O'Donnell a member of the constitutional convention, from the Workingmen's party on account of recently published stories affecting his character developed in his libel suit against the *Chronicle*.

Death of Capt Johnston.

Capt Johnston an old commander in the service of the Pacific Coast Steamship Company who was to have gone east at an early day to bring the new steamer *State of California* out here died to day

A Serious "Burst."

A water pipe in the second story of the Baldwin hotel burst this evening, flooding the office and causing damage to the amount of about two thousand dollars

Alleged Election Frauds in California.

SAN FRANCISCO Dec 30—Wm. Broderick deputy in the registrar's office who recently visited New York Brooklyn and Philadelphia to examine into the workings of election machinery in those cities to day made his report to the board of election commissioners The registrar of elections, Louis Kaplan also made a report submitting two lists one containing the names of persons who voted without having been registered the other containing names of persons against whom election returns show two votes to have been cast at the late special election held June 19 1878 He recommended that the board grant him power to inquire into the matter by summoning before him persons whose names he had and officers of election at precincts at which the votes in question were cast Before Kaplan had concluded his report was handed in signed by Richard J Hill and J B Josselyn J J McCarthy Dennis Kearney H M Moore and other members of the board of registration commissioners Further action on the report with the late Alexander Austin which they were now before the grand jury Mayor Bryant states that he did not think the board had anything to do with the action of the grand jury Until then it was supposed guilty but did not think the board could take cognizance of the case He knew of no power the board has to deal with the matter

Dennis Kearney then spoke against allowing the gentlemen referred to above acting as commissioners and concluded by stating that he did not expect any action there

Mayor Bryant said Let Kearney must be more respectful if he wished to appear before the commissioners and after some very sharp words with petitioner that individual sat down and maintained silence during the remainder of the session Kaplan then asked that the inspectors and judges be requested to appear before the commissioners and also the men who are recorded as having voted without being on the register The board directed the registrar to request the attendance of these persons There were 12 instances of double voting Mayor Bryant stated that Kaplan should get actual proof of one case of double voting when the commissioners will take action Kaplan said that he knew of persons who had made a business of procuring naturalization papers by acting as witnesses at a fee of $10 in each case One case will soon be brought before the grand jury There are Kaplan thought about 1 500 names on the great register fraudulently placed there by means of illegal naturalization papers

A Fatal Fall.

GEORGETOWN Cal Dec 30—A man named Alden G Graves well known in this county fell from a trestle at the Volcano mine near Volcanoville Saturday the 28th Deceased was a native of Massachusetts 52 years of age

Fatal Fight.

SAN ANDREAS, Dec 30—In a shooting scrape here this afternoon between John Blackburn and a Frenchman Frank Declerux with Colts revolvers the latter was killed and Blackburn was slightly wounded in the shoulder The disturbance grew out of a dispute concerning some frogs

Hotel Burned at Redwood

REDWOOD CITY Cal Dec 30—The American House the largest hotel in this county was burned this morning at 2 o clock Fire is supposed to have caught from a defective chimney as when first discovered the entire attic was on fire A portion of the contents of the hotel were saved Loss about $22 000 insured for $12,000 on house and $2 000 on furniture

The Weather in Southern California.

SAN BUENAVENTURA, Dec 30—A splendid rain is falling at intervals since 6 o clock last evening The wind is southeast

Sudden Illness of Churchill—The Case Postponed until March

Yesterday noon while walking across the jail prisoner Churchill fell senseless on the floor His physician on being summoned stated that the inflammatory rheumatism from which he had suffered had affected his brain At this writing he is still insensible, although apparently stronger In court this morning Mr Haymond stated that he was obliged to be in Sacramento on the 6th inst, and asked that the case go over On objection of the prosecution the court ruled that Haymond's showing did not afford sufficient cause for continuance The illness of Churchill was then alleged and the court appointed four physicians to examine his condition A recess was then taken until 2 P M The prosecution declined to take up any other case until Churchill was disposed of

This afternoon his honor, after hearing the evidence of the physicians, decided that it was impossible to try Churchill at present, and put the case over until the first Tuesday in March All other murder cases also stand postponed to the March term of court

PRESS OPINIONS

[illegible] *Bulletin* Our trust is, that Voorhees vanity will lead him to tackle Blaine some of these fine afternoons We are getting Dana epitaph ready

Philadelphia *Press* Mr Thurman is wise He is in training for a higher office, and, if he should run for governor and fail of an election it would ruin his prospects for the presidential nomination Ohio is a very uncertain state and Mr Thurman prefers the some other man should test the temper of the people in 1880

Memphis *Appeal* Grant is unquestionably the coming man His nomination and election will sound the death knell to our republican institutions and show that the American people are ready to spit upon the precedent of Washington Jefferson Madison Monroe and Jackson and elect a president for life And the next step will be an emperor

New York *World* We are glad to see a dawning per option among the Democrats of Indiana of the folly of tying the Democratic party of that state to the tail of such a fiery untamable mustang as the [illegible] able but erratic Mr Voorhees The men in that commonwealth who aspire and have a right to aspire to national honors can hardly expect socialism and communism to be winning forces so early as in 1880

Chicago *Times* It may or may not be true that the mind of Queen Victoria is failing but the taint of insanity is in the blood Her grandfather George III was as mad as a March hare All the Georges were more or less touched in the upper story The fourth George had a fancy that he was at the battle of Waterloo and the fourth William was weak minded The duke of Kent the queen's father was irrationally severe with his soldiers and the queen herself since the death of Albert has been more or less gloomy

New York *Tribune* With all due respect to the northern Democrat, it must be said that he is not habitually the most sagacious of politicians Just now he is desirous of running Senator Bayard for the presidency in 1880, and his true policy therefore is not to irritate the western brother Yet what does he do but break out in a ferocious attack upon Voorhees as a disgrace to the party and dead and his defeat for re-election That Voorhees is a disgrace nobody will deny but his party is pledged to his re election and all the denunciation in the *World* and out of it can deprive him of it The only effect of the attack is to exasperate the western brother, who breaks out in a wild declaration that the assault comes from the money power of the east

A little snow has fallen in Rogue river valley

EASTERN SIDE OF LINN COUNTY

ROSE HILL AND INTERVALES—SELLING SHADOWS—COUNTRY HOME—BROWNSVILLE—ITS PIPEMENTS OF PROSPERITY—FAVORITE SITE—A FARM VISITOR

BROWNSVILLE Dec 30 1878

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN

Something has been published concerning the fertility of the soil of Oregon the salubrity of its climate encouraging varied agricultural industries its adaptability to the arts and manufactures which are indispensable to the development of invention and its capacity to support a large population But its scenery is worthy of more frequent notice it has all the elements of beauty grandeur and sublimity It has many features common to all picturesque countries but in general aspect as well as in particular beauties it is unique This accounts for its attractiveness to tourists who have visited many lands and who have naturally imbibed the notion that there is nothing new under the sun

Our great valley is not destitute of beauty at this season of the year The wide plains divided by the river dotted with farms and villages the foothills and the over topping ranges, combine the elements of a pleasing landscape in a remarkable degree The freshness of spring is wanting but the maturity which follows is present Nature with a rich and ripened bounty heals the wounds which the harvest inflicts upon the field the orchard and the forest

Side and summit of foothills and slope of mountain are mellowed with exquisite ruddy brown in varied shades interspersed with glossy scarlet of unfallen leaves on shrub and tree, and the ever present verdure of fir and cedar

Approaching the Cascade range in the direction of Brownsville the foothills become numerous and more conspicuous They seem to occupy the entire area but a journey through them dispels the illusion There is room for many fine farms on every hand and here and there valleys penetrate to the mountains

In the midst of these foothills Brownsville is situated on the edge of a wide valley It is scattered along the main street for a distance of a mile It has grown considerably within a few years past in resources and population It embraces the elements of prosperity within itself It has woolen factories saw mill, grist mill and flour mill and the usual complement of stores and shops The Calapooia river, flowing swiftly from mountain springs turns the busy wheels and runs through a large portion of the village It has schools and churches, the latter in abundance and variety, so that all tastes may be suited in getting into the kingdom of heaven They appear to agree in the main thing but differ in non essential details Every man is free in this country to gratify his taste in religion as well as in other things and go to heaven in the style that suits him best, provided he pays his share of the expenses, but when he asks other people to pay for it the whole machinery of divided and subdivided sectarianism becomes quite another thing It is reported that two or three of these sects are on the decline in this region giving the other a wider area and better prospects for the extension and permanency of their influence

One of these denominations invited the Rev Dr Lindsley of your city to dedicate for them a new house of worship It is known as the Presbyterian Church and congregation of Brownsville This church is composed for the most part of able and thrifty farmers With commendable zeal the congregation has provided for all the expenditures of the erection, with the aid of a few contributions from abroad Among these a church building society at the east was a liberal contributor, and a few gentlemen of your city donated enough to pay for the bell which rung out its inviting call yesterday Rev Robert Robe, an old pioneer is pastor of the church The building committee who discharged their difficult tasks in a very creditable and satisfactory manner, was composed of Messrs Robert Montgomery W A Templeton and Albert Templeton Mr and Mrs Henry Beam are shouldering their interest in the cause by a cash donation of $500 In addition to various personal services The occasion was a very interesting one to the large audiences which assembled to [illegible] no doubt be long remembered

A ride of a few miles among these foot hills conveys you to Crawfordsville a new village which modestly looks abroad from beneath the Alpine shadows It has some elements of success and will no doubt prosper Mr Robert Glass will tell anyone what he thinks of it on application

The fertile picturesque and salubrious region which lies in the morning shadows of the Cascade range is destined to become at no distant day, a favorite resort of sheep hunters and fruit growers The intervales are full of famous and bountifully watered They invite the gang plow the grasses and grains And these innumerable slopes though many of them are susceptible to profitable cultivation even to the summits of the conical hills are also in many instances unfriendly to the plow but are covered with

The projected narrow gauge railway from Springfield to Salem, is looking out its route along the margin of these hills The desirability of these lands will not long remain in the shade

Snow fell here last night to the depth of one or two inches The air was perfectly still and the whole scene is clothed in spotless white All the peaks are now peaks this morning The branches of fir and cedar are covered as no artificial ornament them The purple atmospheric haze is set off into a deeper richer shade by contrast and as the clear sun shines down, glistening on peak and cone and intervale the entire aspect of nature is transformed and the vast scene is actually adorned [illegible] EDAGOGUS

A KANSAS GOVERNOR

THE CHECKERED CAREER OF JOHN P ST JOHN

John P St John, just elected governor of Kansas, has a career checkered enough to furnish the basis for the liveliest kind of a dime novel He was a Hoosier boy son of an eccentric resident on an island in White river, a few miles south of Indianapolis When a dozen years old John started out to hoe his own row, getting the rudiments of an education first, and then settling down for a time at Olney Ill where he married at the early age of 19 A few months later he was a widower, and was sweet well by the California gold fever then at its height St John crossed the Mississippi with a five franc piece in his pocket and teamed it across the plains, using the wages he got on reaching the mining region to buy a lot of lame cattle These he doctored up and sold for $300 with which he began successful mining speculations and made and spent money fast He was as rough and tumble a fellow as any in the mountains but one day strayed from camp and was chased by Indians for two days St John was tough and fleet enough to outrun [illegible]

[illegible] to run part of the way in fact feet over now and [illegible] and it was six [illegible] before he was about again Then he took passage for South America in a sailing vessel but was wrecked among the Sandwich Islands without money or clothes The plucky fellow worked his way back to Illinois and was practicing law at Charleston when the war turned him loose again Now it was Col St John of honorable record and at the close of the war his stirring soul still found pleasure in fighting the Missouri bushwhackers about his Independence home But he was now married a second time and somewhat sobered by age and moving to Olathe Kan Col St John went into the no less exciting contest of politics He was prominent in rallying Senator Pomeroy which made him popular in the state, and now in the prime of life and in the governor's seat it would not be strange if he should feel called to go Washington himself, to round out an eventful career

Reminiscences of Bayard Taylor.

A reporter's interview with Col John Hay] He was connected with the New York *Tribune* for twenty five years He was city editor for a long time Have heard him tell of that day of small things He did city work wrote editorials and everything else He was worked to death nearly, but retained his freshness by always reading or writing something solid before going to bed at night He made all his trips of travel in the interest of the *Tribune* He was never engaged, being called traveler always and went with an object and not as other travelers go His literary feats some of them were very remarkable He would write sometimes a whole page of the *Tribune* in a single day and it was fine literary matter too and that which required much study His greatest achievement in this line was that of writing nearly a page of the *Tribune* in twenty four hours on the volume of Victor Hugo's poems The remarkable thing about this was that the book arrived in New York one morning and the next the review appeared with several columns of metrical translations of the poems retaining their original vigor and strength He went to the Icelandic Millenial for the *Tribune*, and just before landing it was suggested that a poem should be written for the occasion Seating himself, surrounded as he was by his friends he wrote that gem "Iceland's Thousand Years In response to a toast at the celebration, he spoke in the native language, and astonished all present He has been at work for years on his life of Goethe, but has only gathered the materials thus far and no written a word His appointment as minister was the crowning glory and honor of his life and has been the cause of his death The change in his mode of life was very great and too much for him

The Columbia River.

From the Virginia (Nev) Enterprise]

In many respects the Columbia river is the grandest on the continent Fourteen hundred miles above its mouth it is as large as the Sacramento river at Red Vista and it rolls to the sea with increasing grandeur all the way Where it hews its way through the Cascades a new and gorgeous picture is painted every moment and after the mountains are passed it sleeps in perfect purity and with immense volume to the sea It is watched over by the most magnificent mountains in the union and where the rivers join the ocean there is an everlasting war of waters which is as beautiful as it is terrible By and by when communication with Oregon is cheap and comfortable, people will cease to go to Europe in the summer, but will seek the Cascades of the Columbia and as they watch will grow to be better Americans as they more fully realize the claims which their native lands has upon their admiration The Mississippi has greater volume than the Oregon (this is a mistake the volume of the Columbia is actually greater than that of the Mississippi.—EI OREGONIAN) the Hudson makes rival pictures which perhaps are as beautiful as any painted in the Cascades, but there is a power, a beauty, a purity and a wildness about the river of the west which is all its own and which altogether unapproachable in its charms

It was Blaine of Maine

From the St Louis Times]

Once again
Blaine of Maine
Mind this refrain
(It is no fable)
Blaine ll raise Cain
As long as he's Abel

The Massachusetts and Connecticut papers are complaining of the effect the free pass system has upon the legislatures of those states Sessions are rapidly ended they say by the absentees occasioned by members going to and from their homes

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WEDNESDAY MORNING, DI

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Mark McDonald Gets

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E. Kelley and Robert Kelley a
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court to day. The evidence falling
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SANTA ROSA, Dec. 17.—A hand
ing seven persons collided with
the main track of the Guernev
the S. F. & N. P. R. R., near
night, killing John J. McHal
years of age. Two young ladies
injured.

Driven to Suicide.

MARYSVILLE, Dec. 17.—A y
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The French Ban

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Suicide.

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A Business in Poll Tax

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SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 17.—Curre
par selling.
Silver—98@98½c.
Trade Dollars—96@96.
NEW YORK, Dec. 17—11 A. M.
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U. S. Bonds—6's due of 1867, 1
5's closed 6½; 4½s, 4½.
LONDON, Dec. 17.—Consols, 94
account.
U. S. 5 bonds, 5s 8⅝; 4½s 6¼;
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Ophir—250 shs	$40,	39½
Mexican—300 shs	$39½,	39½
G & S—325 shs	97½,	97½
B & S—40 shs	92½,	92½
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Savage—50 shs	$10,	9½
Con Va—300 shs	88½,	73½
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Point—110 shs	$8,	38
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Belcher—300 shs	$5,	5
Confidence—160 shs	85½,	8
Imperial—350 shs	$70,	
Kentuck—35 shs	34½,	3
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Overman—45 shs	90½,	
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Union—420 shs	$61,	60½
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Jackson—50 shs	88½,
Alpa—100 shs	30c.
Belmont—100 shs	35c.
Leopard—145 shs	$1.
Nimsey—800 shs	30c.
Belle—100 shs	$10.
Manhattan—85 shs	$4, 1
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Defiance—250 shs	10c.
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Star—300 shs	50c.
Tuscarora—400 shs	5c.
Bay—240 shs	30c.
Hillside—150 shs	92½,
Highbridge—3730 shs	$2 3
Hamburg—50 shs	75c.
Paradise—480 shs	$2, 2 10.
Liberty—1850 shs	60c.
Belle—10 shs	$9.
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Nashville, Ky. WM. M. HOWE, M. D.

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TUESDAY MORNING, DEC. 31, 1878

"ELECTIONS" IN ALABAMA.

HOW ALABAMA DEMOCRATS CARRIED THEIR STATE BY FRAUD—A DEMOCRATIC LEGISLATURE HEAPING INDIGNITIES UPON THE COLORED RACE.

[Selma Correspondence, Dec. 13, of N. Y. Times.]

At the elections in November thousands of colored Republican voters in this district (with its 16,000 Republican majority) were deprived of the right of voting for member of congress. At most of the large Republican precincts Democratic officials secured possession of the ballot-boxes, poll lists, etc., and kept themselves hid all day, thus preventing the opening of the polls. Thousands of colored voters remained around the polls throughout the day waiting for their opening. But they waited in vain. The law in this state is that the ballot-boxes must be made of wood, tin, or sheet-iron, and securely locked. It was impossible for the Republicans, therefore, to hold valid elections in the absence of these boxes and the printed blanks also required by law to be used. The law also compels each elector to vote in the precinct of his residence. The Democratic party has control of all the election machinery in this state. Democratic judges appoint all the election managers; Democrats make up the returns, and Democratic supervisors do the counting. In this large Republican district there was not one single Republican election official appointed.

In the second district, which is very close, but which really has a fair Republican majority, the Greenbackers nominated a candidate in opposition to Herbert, Democratic nominee and present member. The Republicans supported the Greenbacker as a choice of evils. It was known throughout the state that Herbert's renomination gave great offense to the Democracy; that large numbers of white men in every county of the district publicly made known their determination to support Armstrong, the Greenback candidate. On the night of the election it was believed that Armstrong had been elected. The returns from the various counties footed up a fair majority for Armstrong. But the Democratic managers had the supervisors of two counties, remote from the railroad, to hold back their returns until all the others were in. No efforts to get news from those two counties were successful. At last they came up with overwhelming majorities for Herbert—majorities so large that every just man in Alabama must admit that they are the result of fraud. The Greenback candidate instituted inquiries into the facts concerning the two counties which were doctored by the Democracy, and he soon discovered evidence enough. The United States district court has been in session at Montgomery since Nov. 18, and its grand jury has made diligent inquiry into these election frauds. Enough evidence has been elicited, from undisputed and unimpeachable sources, to show that the Democratic candidates in the second and fourth districts were defeated beyond question, and they received their certificates of election through the grossest frauds.

Having by this means secured control of the government of the state, the Democratic legislature now in operation at Montgomery has enacted laws which seek directly to drive the colored people to the wall. This partisan legislature has passed an act, applying to all the large colored counties solely, that no man shall sell a pound of seed-cotton, or any lint cotton, in quantities of less than 500 pounds. In nearly all the colored counties white owners of farms have rented their lands to colored farmers, generally at very low rates, for otherwise the colored man would purchase land of his own. The object of this law is to force the colored farmers to divide their crops with the white owners from whom they have rented lands, in addition to paying in money. Under this law the colored farmer cannot get the white man to sell his cotton for him, for it is only the negro who is punished for selling seed-cotton—not the white man.

The Democratic legislature has passed various laws, every one of which is intended to degrade the colored people and rob them of their rights. In order to do this the Democratic leaders hesitate at nothing; they do not care whether or not they are consistent. As an evidence of this, the action of the Democratic legislature a few days ago is sufficient. There were two contests before that body, one in which a Democrat contested the seat of a colored Republican, and one in which a white Republican contested that of a Democrat. The same state of circumstances surrounded both cases. In the case against Carson, the colored Republican sitting member, the evidence was overwhelming in his favor, but the Democratic partisans who now control the legislature did not dare to go back to their prejudiced constituencies and admit that they voted to keep a "nigger" in and a Democrat out; hence they retained the Democrat in one instance and ousted the Republican in the other. So unjust and full of partisan partiality was this conduct of the legislature that several Democratic journals of the state declared that it was an outrage upon the whole people, and that the Democratic party could not afford to perpetrate such rank injustice. The effort of the Democratic partisans now in the house this legislature to petition congress to change the mode of selecting cadets to West Point so that they shall be chosen from the state universities. It is well known that no colored boy is ever admitted within the portals of the University of Alabama, although the colored people contribute to the support of that institution. So long as the present mode of selecting delegates is in force the colored youth have some little chance of receiving recognition, but let congress provide that cadets to the military and naval academies must be taken from state universities and the negro will have no chance.

Colored children have virtually been driven from the public schools. Not a colored man now holds an office in the state; he is not permitted any more to sit on juries, nor is he even allowed to participate in any manner [illegible] robbed of their right to vote by the thousands, and the increased representation in congress allowed the colored citizens has been usurped and stolen by the Democratic party. In Alabama the Republicans are systematically oppressed by local judicial machinery to such an extent that they no longer attempt to take any part in public affairs or political contests.

TALMAGE AND BEECHER.

SOME FACTS ABOUT THE MONEY THEY MAKE IN AND OUT OF THEIR PULPITS.

[From the New York Sun.]

Of all the well known clergymen Talmage and Beecher have found their popularity most profitable from a pecuniary point of view. Of the two, Beecher has made the most money. Money enough has passed through his hands to have made the fortunes of a dozen men of closer grip, but dollars humble from his possession in several ways. The prodigality of the notorious preacher has been used as an argument against his moral soundness. With his known income and the ordinary expenses of a minister living in good style, he should, it is averred, according to the ordinary rules of life, be worth at least half a million; but the whole of his possessions do not, it is believed, exceed $50,000, if the mortgages on his property are considered. The hey-day of Beecher's money making was before his name was clouded with scandal. He had $20,000 from his church, some thousands from Robert Bonner, editor and proprietor of the New York *Ledger*, a heavy income from his "Star papers," his "Norwood" and his published sermons; good fat fees for signing his name to marriage certificates, $200 or $300 any night that he chose to run over to New Jersey, sally into New England or the interior of New York state to lecture. He had $5,000 or $6,000 as editor of the *Christian Union*, and then he got a handsome advance pay on his contract for writing a "Life of Christ"—a work which he never completed and left on the hands of J. B. Ford & Co., whose financial ruin it wrought.

The scandal greatly diminished Beecher's income from outside sources. The *Christian Union* ceased to pay, and was saved from total eclipse by the efforts and capital of Beecher himself, Thomas G. Shearman, Henry W. Sage, and others. The sale of his book came to a full stop. The scandal cost him $115,000, $100,000, of which a year's salary included, his church paid. Beecher's present salary is $15,000. He has had the expense of his costly house in Peekskill on hand, and it is said that tradesmen and architects preyed upon him right and left in gratifying his desire to "express himself in a house," and that when the bills rolled up far beyond his calculation, he had to forego a summer's revel in the White Mountains and go to lecturing out west.

He came back ten or twelve thousand dollars richer, and then announced his retirement from the lecture field. This year has probably afforded Beecher an income of $30,000. His income for the next year depends largely upon the sale of the pews in January. His salary will be $20,000 if the receipts at that time warrant it. Beecher has a mortgage of $15,000 on his house at 124 Columbia Heights which, although due, remains unpaid. The United States Trust Co. are the mortgagees.

Talmage has made his efforts pay well, and he knows where to put his money so that it will be handy on a rainy day. He has a fine four-story house, capped with a tower, at South Oxford street and De Kalb avenue, but it is in the name of Susie C. Talmage, his wife. It was purchased on September 29, 1875 of Mrs. Helen A. Knowles, wife of Emerson Knowles, and the price paid was $30,000. The cost was high, but Talmage wanted the house. He left a mortgage of $17,500 on it, which he went to work with a will to reduce, and last March he cancelled it with $11,000 in cash and a new mortgage of $6,500, which exists now, and becomes due in September, 1880. After Mr. Talmage took an extended lecture tour and came back with pockets crammed with checks sufficient to reduce his mortgage, he, too, announced his retirement from the lecture field; but he occasionally dodges out of Brooklyn to make an extra $150 and says nothing about it.

Talmage is not now connected with any religious paper, having found that the different papers he tried needed more money than their legitimate earnings to keep them afloat. His sermons, however, are printed by newspapers from St. Johns to San Francisco, and from Toronto to Cape Town. Mr. B. R. Corwin said: "Now I want to say positively that Mr. Talmage does not receive a cent for these sermons. I once negotiated the sale of official reports of his sermons to the London *Christian Age* for $1,500 a year in gold, but the contract had not been under way long before some other papers began to complain, and Mr. Talmage refused to receive any more pay for the newspaper publication of his sermons. Of course when a book of his sermons is published he gets his royalty."

It is believed, however, that Talmage gets from the different papers to which he supplies manifold copies of his sermons sufficient to pay his stenographer. He has a revenue from two western publishing houses, which publish his sermons in book form, and a royalty on the sales of his "Crumbs Swept Up," "Abominations of Society," and "Sports that Kill," which the Harpers publish. He has a new book in press from which large returns are expected. None of his friends know his revenue from his literary work. His present salary is $7,000. An estimate of his entire income for this year is between $10,000 and $12,000. Next year, however, his salary will be $12,000, and his income will be probably about $15,000. Talmage has a good conception of values, and it is predicted that he will be a rich man in ten years.

THE INDIAN SITUATION.

MORE OF THE PERKINS MURDERERS CAPTURED—ONE OF THEM COMMITS SUICIDE—MOSES STILL IN CUSTODY—A REPORT THAT HIS BAND WILL REMOVE TO THE RESERVATION.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE OREGONIAN.]

GOLDENDALE, W. T., Dec. 26, 1878.

The Indian excitement, to all appearance, is subsiding. The Yakima volunteers have returned from the front after fulfilling a portion of their mission. Four of the Perkins murderers are in jail. On Monday last after the capture of Moses, Deputy Sheriff John A. Splann and possee, assisted by six of Moses' warriors, moved up the river from White Bluffs, and late at night discovered a camp of about twenty Indians. The place was quietly surrounded, and this completed one of the Indians cautiously approached the camp, and entering the tepee found the inmates asleep. While he was engaged in rekindling the fire, one of the sleeping Indians was aroused, and with a gun in one hand and knife in the other, jumped to his feet, demanding the cause of the intruder's visit. The spy reply that he only wanted to warm and he would go. After carefully surveying [illegible] followed to the door by the Indian he had aroused, who on seeing himself and companions surrounded, placed the muzzle of his gun to his breast and with his foot discharged the weapon, killing himself instantly, preferring death at his own hands rather than to meet the fate that awaited him if captured. The report of the gun aroused the other inmates, who made a frantic rush to escape, and in the confusion all but one succeeded in getting away. The one captured proves to have been the Indian who killed Mrs Perkins, and is now safe in the Yakima jail. Moses is still in jail and it is uncertain what disposition will be made of him, but the outlook is not favorable to the release of that redoubtable chieftain. It is hinted that he will never be allowed to leave Yakima.

Some of the Indians living on Settass river are chastising Moses' and Smohalla's Indians [illegible] the reservation to live. Smohalla himself cannot be found, and some think that the "dreamer" has been quietly disposed of.

Deputy U. S. Marshal Fraser is visiting the different towns engaged in posting the warnings of the attorney general, forbidding any breach of law or order. The citizens quietly laugh at the proceeding and say it will not interfere with them. Side by side with such a notice at Goldendale is another which reads as follows:

Ho for the war! Fifty volunteers wanted to go to Yakima City on Tuesday, Dec. 24th, for the purpose of capturing Chief Moses. Come one, come all! By command, E. W. Pike, Captain Klickitat Mounted Infantry. C. G. Gougle, 2d Lieut.

Why She Couldn't Swim.

[From Frank Leslie's Illustrated.]

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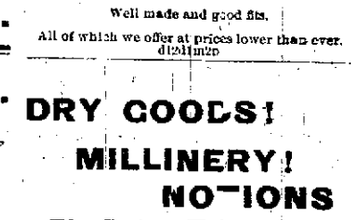

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The Daily Oregonian.

TUESDAY MORNING, DEC. 31 1878.

The Malay Sword Dance.

While on a cruise among the islands of the Malayan Archipelago, our ship put in at Batavia for a week's repairs. Batavia is the Dutch capital of Java, wholly under the control of Holland; and its Dutch architecture, and Dutch manners of living make one feel as though every house had been built in far-away Amsterdam, and then boxed up, people, furniture and all, and sent by ship across the waters. So, we saw anything of the natives to whom this great, beautiful island originally belonged, of their habits, dress and amusements, one must visit the Malayan settlements of the interior; and a little party of us determined thus to spend the week of our ship's stay at Batavia.

We had made the acquaintance of a petty chieftain, who once had been in the service of the Rajah of Djokjakarta, and for a small fee, Selim introduced our party to the court of his former master.

Here, one day, we had an opportunity of witnessing the "sword dance" of the Malays, the most noted of all their national dances. Ordinarily it is performed by some thirty or forty ten-year-old lads, who are trained to their motion from a very early age, but who practice it in public only for a year or so, before they are set aside as no longer sufficiently light and agile for this very peculiar dance. The boys are rigged out in very fantastic costume, their hats especially, which are fancifully adorned with the plumage of many-colored birds, interspangled with brightly gleaming jewels. The only weapons used are wooden swords; but the youthful gymnastes seem thoroughly in earnest, and rush upon one another with all the fury of real combatants, their eyes gleaming fiercely, and their dark faces glowing with excitement. They brandish their swords with great dexterity, dealing blows sidewise, and even backward, while they are in the very act of whizzing and whirling round the room in a rapid gallopade. Their motions are not the less graceful than enthusiastic; and though the company is numerous, and the turns and thrusts are sudden, none seem taken unawares; nor is there ever the slightest apparent confusion. Sometimes single combats follow the general engagement, each selecting his own opponent; but the boys are so well matched in regard to size, and all are so perfectly trained, that really there seems no advantage to be gained. The grand finale of the whole affair is to force two of their leaders into a corner, surround them with a circle of crossed words, and hold the two prisoners until one or the other succeeds in gaining possession of his opponent's weapon. The victor then receives as a prize a real sword, and is thenceforth honorably discharged from further trials of his skill; while the unfortunate who permitted himself to be disarmed, has to go through an additional season of probation.

The ordinary dress of the lower class of Malays is very simple, consisting for the most part of a long, loose "sarong," or petticoat, in place of trousers, and a tight-fitting jacket of white or red cotton; but the garb of the princes is very gorgeous. The rajahs wore sarongs of heavy silk, jackets of velvet richly embroidered in gold and tiny seed-pearls, and jeweled sashes that seemed all ablaze with diamonds. Both turbans and sandals were adorned in the same costly fashion; and as for the creese or serpentine dagger, without which a Malay, whatever his rank, never appears; those of the rajahs were marvels of costly workmanship. The display of wealth in the palaces of these native chiefs was far beyond what we expected to find; but we learned afterward that Malayan "sultans" are petty chiefs as well; and though they don't, in person, rob or murder on the high seas, the entire enormous revenues from piratical hordes that everywhere infest the Malay Archipelago.—*St. Nicholas for January.*

THE INVENTOR OF THE BAROMETER.—The explanation which Galileo gave to the phenomena of their sucking pump to raise water higher than thirty-two feet, namely, that it was the limit of nature's abhorrence of a vacuum, he did not consider himself quite satisfactory; it was, indeed, nothing rather than meeting the difficulty proposed for his solution. In the last of his dialogues, he mentions an experiment to ascertain this power of *vacuo*, as he calls it, of a vacuum; but although he got to the length of weighing air, he advanced no conclusion respecting the effect of the incumbent mass. The atmosphere was, nevertheless, still supposed to reach to the moon, and the pressure of columns of enormous height seemed to mock all calculation and to overwhelm the imagination. Torricelli, the friend and pupil of Galileo, resumed the investigation of this interesting point where his master had left it. He conceived the happy idea of exhibiting the action of a pump on a contracted scale by means of a column of mercury, which is fourteen times heavier than water. This experiment brought very easily under one view all the circumstances affecting the question. He explained that the water and mercury were each supported by the same equipoise, which, after some hesitation, he at last concluded to be the pressure of the atmosphere; and having afterwards constructed what has since received the name of the siphon barometer, he detected that variation of pressure which depends on the change of weather. These important results were published in the year 1645; but Torricelli did not live to enjoy the fame of his great discovery, being snatched away by a putrid fever in the flower of his age.

The Future.

How anxious we all are to peep into the future, to see, if possible, some glimmerings of what is to come upon us; but that a wise Providence had hidden from our view that which would but cause sorrow and suffering, telling us that "sufficient unto the day is the sorrow thereof." What would those joys we so much prize now apply compared with some deep sorrow which we could not avert? How the young bride looks into the future to see whether or not her dream of bliss is to be mirror! Ah, fair bride, dream on, nor trouble thyself with the future! It may be thy dream will too soon find a sad awakening. How the child peers longingly into the gloom of the years to come, when he will be a man! What glorious scenes he sees looming up in the far-distant future! Let him build his air-castles; all too soon he will find them crumbling into oblivion.

Have the church dignitaries of England given themselves up to dissipation? Is so much talk there about cannon

THE COURTS.

PORTLAND, Dec 30, 1878.

U. S. CIRCUIT COURT—DEADY, J.

Riddle vs Rhea—Verdict amended; motion for new trial denied; judgment for plaintiff for the remainder of two-thirds of premises and costs.

[illegible] vs Quives—Demurrer to answer argued and submitted.

STATE CIRCUIT COURT—BELLINGER, J.

A. E. Watt vs Elias Harvey, et al.—Motion to dismiss the appeal allowed.

J. S. Morgan vs E. R. Merriman—Motion to strike out part of the answer overruled; allowed until Monday next in which to file reply.

Jacob Keets vs Thomas Elrington, et al.—Demurrer to the complaint sustained as to Mrs. Elrington and overruled as to Elrington.

Mary Taylor vs Geo. W. Taylor—Demurrer to the amended complaint overruled and defendant allowed until Thursday to answer.

Meier & Frank vs Burchard—Motion for a new trial overruled.

S. C. Jenkins vs Alex. Nesbit—Dismissed at the cost of the defendant.

Wm Connell vs S. Allegrain, et al.—Cause continued for the term.

Stevens vs O. C. R. R. Co.—Same proceeding.

City of Portland vs J. R. Wiley—Cause dismissed.

Sprague vs Fletcher—Cause continued for the term.

B. F. Ausmus vs C. Buckman—Same proceedings.

W. W. Page vs Lowesdale—Same proceedings.

O. & C. R. R. Co. vs Thos. Stephens—Same proceedings.

T. Dittenhoefer vs R. Cohn—Same proceedings.

Ackerman vs R. Cohn—Same proceedings.

Huntington vs Huntington—Cause continued for the term.

Cloud vs Cloud—Cause continued for the term.

Welser vs De la—Same proceedings.

Nickum vs Nickum—Cause dismissed

Kaufman vs Kaufman—Continued for the term

Smith Brothers vs C. M. Rohr—Same proceedings.

Gleeman vs Martin—Same proceedings.

Alexander vs Alexander—Same proceedings.

Ripple vs Ripple—Dismissed at cost of plaintiff.

Holmes vs Holmes—Cause continued for the term.

Brotherton vs Connel—Same proceedings.

Page vs Strawbridge—Cause continued.

Frank Jones vs The "Bella"—Motion to strike out part of the answer argued and submitted.

POLICE COURT.

Lin Ho, keeping bawdy house, $50 and costs; Wm. Zimmers, disorderly, $10; Nifty O'Donnell, drunk and disorderly, $5; Jacob W Hlama drunk and disorderly, $20; J. H. Proctor, $5; Mrs Coller, larceny, bail $100.

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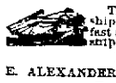

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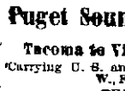

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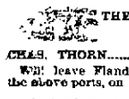

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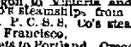

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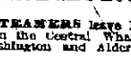

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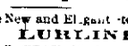

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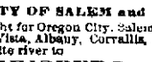

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SAN Francisco Dec. 1 —Th ...ery and threats to kill prefe ...B Kelley and Robert Kelley a ...McDonald were dismissed ... ...o day the evidence failin ...breats and indicating that th ...committed in self defense The ...slight suggestion that the char ...preferred by the prosecutin... w ...an improper motive

Railroad Accident at Sar

SA TA Rosa Dec 17 —A hand ...ng seven persons collided w th ...he ma n track of the Guerevi ...the S F & N P R R near ...ght Killing John J McHal ...years of age Two young la dies ...injured

Driven to Suicid

AR SVILLE Dec 17 —A y ...genteel presence aged about 27 ...named Robt B Lutton said t ...druggist in San Francisco died ...city from an overdose of mo ...ministered He is known to ...reere a few days ago, and at ...search of a deluded wife whom ...noure of ill repute After rej ...ts efforts to have her leave a ...him in a fit of despondency ...fatal draught which caused hi ...owners quest to morrow

The French San

At 10 o clock this morning ...ex receiver of the French ban ...the books of that institution t ...directors The money bonds ...sets of the bank in his hands a ...over as fast as an account of th ...taken and receipts given It w ...or three days to make the t ...asse s and make complete u ...erty It is consequently hk ...time before the bank will resu

Suicide.

STOCKTON, Dec. 17 —R. H. ... resident of this county con ...to-day by taking morphine a ...He was formerly engaged ...business, but failed. He left ...that he was tired of life His

Duncan's Tri

The trial of J C Duncan is ...in the municipal criminal ...Casserly was on the stand ... was devoted mainly to t ...whether certificate No 133, ... post Company stock on wh ...based, was signed by witness, ...subsequently raised, or whet ...itself was a forgery Wit ...the former view of the questi

A Business in Poll Ta

Long Sing & Ah Cum whi ...broker shop on Jackson stre ...to day on a charge of pet y ...have been buying up poll ...Chinamen and selling the ...celestials as desired them ...evoid the poll tax law

FINANCE AND CO

Financial

TUESDAY EVENING, ...

Gold in New York, 100¼ ...

Legal tenders in Portland—bo ...at par

silver coin—26@27¼ per cent. di ...

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 17 —Curre ...par selling

Silver—98@98¼c.

Trade Dollars—95@96

NEW YORK, Dec. 17—11 A. M. ...at par.

Silver bullion, 1000 fine 09 ...

U. S. Bonds—5 2s of 1867, 1 ...'s closed 6¼ 4½ 4¼

LONDON Dec 17—Consols, 94 ...account.

U. S bonds, 5s 8¾ 4½s 6¼ ...

Silver, 50.

San Francisco Produce a ...kets.

[FIRST DISPA ... SAN ...

Wheat—Dull and weak Go ...$1 29¼ alongside. New York ...@1 31 per bushel.

Barley—For choice brewin ...good coast feed sold at $1 ...

Corn—Small yellow sold at ...

Flour—Very dull and unche ...

[SECOND DISPA ...

Wheat—Offerings of Californ ...small Buyers are holding ...concessions. Sellers manifes ...to lower their rates in Califor ...do not develop any anxious ...tention was to anticipate wea ...Market weak and dull. Sale ...ing a lot of 80 tons.

Oats—Market dull.

ATLANTIC MAI ...

Wheat—83½c per bushel, J ...

Wool—Quiet; fall 12@19c; ... ...27c; burry 18@16c, pulle ...Hides—Steady at 18½@19c ...Whale Oil—Dull and lower ...35@40c; winter bleached, 45 ...Sperm Oil—Winter unble ...bleached 93c@$1 01

Shipping Int

DEY NELSON ...

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 18 — ...Seattle, Fr bk Alphonsine ...Oakland Port Madison sch ...Cleared—Ship Ocean Kin, ...British General, Cork, by ...Island ...Sailed—Brtn R. K. Ham, ... Violet, Honolulu

EVERTON, Dec. 17 —Arri ...

SAN FRANCISCO STO

Ophir—250 shs $40 39¾ ...
Mexican—300 shs $29 ...
G & C—225 shs $7 ...
B & B—90 shs $2 ...
Cala—500 shs $9¾ 9¾ 9¾ ...
Savage—0 shs $10 ...
Con Va—200 shs $2 ...
Challar—125 shs $ ...
Point—1,0 shs $8 ...
Jacket—1500 shs $15¼ ...
Alpha—70 shs $9¼ ...
Belcher—500 shs $6 ...
Confidence—100 shs $8 ...
Imperial—950 shs $70 ...
Kentuck—85 shs $4 ...
Nevada—225 shs $50 ...
Utah—200 shs $14 ...
Bullion—200 shs $2 ...
Exchequer—345 shs $2 ...
Seg Belcher—10 shs $30 ...
Overman—45 shs $6 ...
Justice—250 shs $4 ...
Succor—560 shs 70c ...
Union—420 shs $61, ...
Alta—215 shs $6 ...

AFTERNOO

Eu Con—200 shs $8 ...
R & E—220 shs $9, ...
Jackson—50 shs $6 ...
Alpe—100 shs 20c ...
Belmont—100 shs 35c ...
Leopard—145 shs $1 ...
Hussey—350 shs 30c ...
Belle—100 shs $10 ...
Manhattan—40 shs $4 ...
Price—200 shs $6 ...
Argenta—175 shs $2 ...
Navajo—950 shs 45c ...
Endowment—1010 shs 10c ...
Defr es—250 shs 10c ...
Independence—1010 shs ...
Star—300 shs 50c ...
Tuscarora—400 shs 5c ...
Bay—240 shs 30c ...
Hillside—150 shs $2 ...
Highbridge—730 shs $2 ...
Hamburg—50 shs 75c ...
Paradise—490 shs $2 ...
Liberty—1350 shs 60c ...
Bodie—10 shs $9 ...
Bechtel—175 shs 50c ...
Tioga—350 shs $1 ...
Summit—70 shs $1 10, ...
Bulwer—40 shs $1 ...

is compo ...ical with Healthy E ...Brain Sub ... is directly dependen ... of them

Dr Howe's Testimony

For the last two years I have given the follow ... cases of Hydrophobia ... some what severe trial in my practice In each ... offering from emeculation and the deb ... wing diphtheria it has done its work ... I con ... cheerfully recommend its use in all affections of th ... or air passages In several cases considered hope ... cases given relief, and the patients are l ... cases ... Among the ... are consumptive and ... whose ... have re ... ed ...

The Daily Oregonian.

TUESDAY MORNING DEC 31 1878.

LABOR CAPITAL AND ... TIONS

Before the Hewitt committee on labor at its recent session in Boston Edward Atkinson of that city, who is known as a thorough student of economic questions made a highly interesting statement of the relations of capital and labor He introduced the subject with a statement of the condition of the industries in Massachusetts and the real source wealth of the state The figures given show that Massachusetts is the richest state in the union Net accumulations of the products of labor since the founding of Massachusetts colony are put down at one thousand million dollars He states the present annual net product of the industry of the state at five hundred millions as a maximum and three hundred millions as a minimum and points out the aggregate accumulations out of the labor of two centuries is no more than equal to the annual product of two or at most of a little over three years As a partial explanation of the extreme slowness of the process of accretion Mr Atkinson pointed out the destructive effect of invention upon existing capital For illustration a cotton mill was mentioned which in 1833 produced a given amount with the labor of 226 men working thirteen hours a day and in 1878 produces the same amount with the labor of ninety men working ten hours a day It belongs to the same corporation is represented by the same shares of stock, and to all appearance is the same mill now as in 1833 but within the forty years from that date it has been twice rebuilt from the foundation, while its machinery has been again and again replaced by improved devices, devices which have increased the productiveness of labor in the degree indicated by the figures just given The destruction of capital to make way for new inventions said Mr Atkinson, is the law of progress and it is to the increase of production thus brought about that the working classes must look for the improvement of their condition He next proceeded to show by statistics of distribution how small is the share of the annual product of industry that goes to capital and how much smaller still is the percentage which capital can devote to luxurious uses In a normal condition of trade manufacturing capital may yield 10 per cent It cannot yield more, because any industry in which it yields that percentage draws so much capital into it that the profits are kept down by competition For some years past it has yielded much less, and speaking for the cotton manufacture it would not now be yielding anything at all except for the utilization of material formerly wasted and only saved now in consequence of services to which the wits of the manufacturers have been stimulated Taking 10 per cent as the yield of capital in ordinary times that amount has to be used to replace worn out machinery and machinery made useless by new inventions It has also to repair buildings, pay insurance, and cover various other expenses and in the aggregate the amount taken out for these several purposes reduces the 10 per cent to 6 Of this, 5 per cent is used in the payment of domestic and other service employed by the capitalist, and in the supply of actual necessaries to the capitalist and his family, leaving only one per cent that can possibly be devoted to the increase of capital or luxurious indulgences. From these facts the conclusion is that the earnings of labor can only be increased through a greater efficiency of production, caused by new and improved mechanical inventions It is equally plain that for the very important services rendered by the capitalist class they must find their returns in the surplus of one per cent, this being the source of whatever fortunes are made by the directors of the nation's industries. In reply to a question as to the present tendency of capitalists to invest in industrial enterprises, Mr Atkinson gave it to the committee as his opinion that there is little inclination to do so, and that no improvement in this particular is to be anticipated as long as there remains any uncertainty in regard to the unit of value Referring to the distress among the working classes of Great Britain, he anticipated within a few years an immigration from that country equal to that which followed the famine of 1846, and also that English capital in large amounts would be transferred to the United States

In the January *Scribner* we note a curious thing, heretofore reproduced in THE OREGONIAN There is credited to the late Richard Realf a poem, or rather a double poem, entitled "An Epitaph—Interpretation On examination we find that the first part, the strophe so to speak comprises the closing part of that beautiful poem *De Mortuis, etc*, which was found on his body at the time of his death and published in the San Francisco papers the day afterward. The lines begin thus

This poet was very weary If he missed
World s honors and world s plaudits and the wage
Of the world's deft lackeys still his lips were kissed
Daily by those high angels who assuage
The thirstings of the seers

The second part or antistrophe as it were, is taken from another poem of Realf's and made to act as the interpretation of the first This would seem to indicate that he had been accustomed to jot down his best thoughts as they occurred to him and then work up the material thus accumulated in different forms and combinations according to his fancy or the demand of the literary market It makes it probable also that at least one part of his death had been written a considerable time before perhaps in one of those fits of depression to which he was liable and that it was only when he had made up his mind to die that he incorporated it in to that pitiful heart cry of unrequited genius with which at the end, his soul swam away like out upon the gliding years.'

The West Portland homestead association was organized by Gov Grover as a means of getting money to pay his debts' It was successful to the extent of $10,000, at the expense of the state's educational fund There was no sale for the land at any such figure, nor was it possible to borrow from private hands any such sum upon it But the governors access to the school fund helped him o t To bolster

few shares in the corporation but with the understanding that he was to incur no personal liability and Cann gave him a start by paying Grover $1 600 for land worth only $200 There was an unfair advantage in taking this money from Cann but Grovers needs were great and this was part of the scheme of indirection through which the money was taken out of the school fund on frail security for Grovers private use That was one of the advantages of being at the head of the organized board of land commissioners

Russia has played it with the ameer s good deal as England played it with the sultan The latter was induced to resist Russia by hopes of succor from England and the former has been induced to resist England in hopes of succor from Russia Both have been fooled by the play of diplomacy between the greater powers

Nat Cangell intends to experiment in the cultivation of cranberries in Cangell s valley next year He has already sent east for plants and will set them out as soon as the weather will permit

MARRIED:

At the Christian church in Salem Ogn Dec ... 18 8, by Elder S C Adams Dr James C Shelton to Maimie I Graves all of Marion county Oregon

NEW TO-DAY.

WANTED.

BY A RESPECTABLE YOUNG WOMAN, WORK by the week or day at nursing sewing or house cleaning address S M J this office 31dlt

BR SHIP LUTTERWORTH CAPT TEAR SON from New Zealand Neither the captain nor the undersigned consignees of the above named vessel will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew 31dt RODGERS MEYER & CO

$50 FIFTY DOLLARS REWARD $50

THE ABOVE REWARD WILL BE PAID FOR the arrest and conviction of the person or persons who robbed the Odd Fellows Hall in East Portland on the night of December 28th TRUSTEES ORIENTAL LODGE NO 17

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE above reward of $50 for the apprehension of the person or persons that took the jewels from Orient Lodge of I O O F East Portland, is hereby withdrawn JOHN KENWORTHY
B F AUSMUS
WM S GORDON
Portland Dec 30 1878 Trustees

BOAT RACE ON NEW-YEAR'S DAY.

CAPTAINS OF AMERICAN AND BRITISH vessels who wish to enter for the above race will please call at the office of J P Betts, pay the entrance money for their crews on or before 10 A M, on the 1st January, and make themselves acquainted with the rules by which they will be governed Money prizes to the amount of $120 are to be distributed among the three winning crews

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BLANK BOOKS
Manufactured to Order,

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SPECIAL SALE!

THIS DAY.

Furniture, Merchandise,

Pictures, Mirrors, Ornaments
ALSO
The Last Consignments Balance of the VASES, which will be sold
OSCAR KILBOURN, Auctioneer

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A FINE LOT OF
Fresh Imported Cigars
At L. K. G. SMITH'S,
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WINDOW GLASS.

Single Thick,
Double Thick,
Crystal Sheet, 26 ...
Colored,
Enameled,
Ground,
Plate,

FOR SALE BY
HODGE, DAVIS & CO.
Wholesale Druggists

HOLIDAY GOODS.

NOW OPEN A NEW ASSORTMENT OF

Bohemian and ... Vases
AND
FLOWER STANDS
OF ELEGANT PATTERNS
Also New Styles of
Silver-Plated Goods
Of guaranteed quality, and a full assortment of everything in our line at LOWEST RATES
W. JACKSON & CO.,
Dealers in
Crockery, Glassware, etc
No. 54 Front Street.
O S N CO S BLOCK

COME AND SEE US.

We are now opening an Importation of
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Ex Pomerania and Vancouver From ... for the HOLIDAY TRADE, which is DIRECT suitable for
HOLIDAY PRESENTS!
Old Corner Drug Store,
UNDER THE TOWN CLOCK
C. H. Woodard & Co.

NEW TO-DAY.

NEW MARKET THEATER.

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TUESDAY EVENING DEC 31,

Greatest Hit of the Season!
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MR. SAMUEL PIERCY
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AS
"CAPT HENRI DE LACADERE,"
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IN
The Duke's Motto!
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WITH ITS
GORGEOUS SCENERY!
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BY PORTER
AND
SUPERB CAST!
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GRAND SPECIAL
Holiday Matinee
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Reserved seats at Morse s Palace of Art

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DIRECT FROM NEW YORK.
For the Holiday Trade!

BROCHE SHAWLS
All Grades
Matelassé, Beaver and Gossamer
CLOAKS.
Ladies' and Gents'
K D GLOVES,
Fur Trimmed and Fleece Lined
ALSO A FULL LINE OF
2, 4 and 6 Button Gloves,
IN PARTY COLORS.
The Finest and Cheapest
LINE OF
INITIAL HANDKERCHIEFS!
Ever offered in this city
CLARKE & HENDERSON.

P S—A lot of Eastern Hand Knit
WOOL SOCKS!

HATS.
HATS.
HATS.
GIVEN AWAY.
GIVEN AWAY.
Or the next thing to it

The Stock to be sold at a sacrifice by January 1st.
WE MEAN IT!

The Leading Clothiers and Hatters,
... & ...
1 Portland

Watches and Jewelry
FOR THE HOLIDAYS!
J. B. MILLER,
Watchmaker and Jeweler,
129 FIRST STREET,
Has just received a Fine Assortment of
JEWELRY, SOLID SILVER AND PLATED WARE, CLOCKS, Etc.
Ladies and Gents Fine
GOLD STEM-WINDING WATCHES,
manufactured especially for me and particularly for his market by the celebrated manufacturers Patek, Philippe & Co Geneva whose watches are far superior in workmanship to any made d12 1lm

ALBERT BARTSCH,
Piano Maker and Tuner,
Sole Agent for the World Renowned

Kranich & Bach PIANOS.
Gab or's New Scale Upright PIANOS.
Burdett ORGANS.
Fine Piano Stools and Cloth Covers.
Tuning and Repairing of Instruments a specialty
Warerooms—Third St, near Taylor, Portland, Oga

I OFFER FOR SALE
40 casks Genuine Rhine Wines,
Fine French Red and White Wines
Fine Riesling, Frontiner, etc
Best California Red and White Wines
All Wines Warranted Pure No 1.
C A HENCHMANDT

HOLIDAY ADVERTISEMENTS.

GRAND
CLEARANCE SALE!
OF
DRESS GOODS,
AT
THE WHITE HOUSE,
LEWIS & STRAUSS,
123 First Street.

GREAT BARGAINS
FOR THE HOLIDAYS!

GREAT BARGAINS FOR THE HOLIDAYS.

Initial Handkerchiefs,

I have an immense stock of Ladies and Gentlemen s Initial Handkerchiefs which I will sell be low cost Gents Hand worked Initial Handker chiefs direct from France, $1—former price $1 50 Ladies Init al Handkerchiefs 50 cts and upward You can buy a handsome

SILK DRESS

And save 50 per cent by purchasing of me

GREAT BARGAINS

In Ties Ruchings Gloves
Shawls Velvets Ribbons
Millinery Dress Goods Corsets etc

Persons desiring to engage in the dry goods business can secure a great bargain by calling at the

The City of Paris Store,
MRS. H. ACH,
Cor. Second and Morrison Streets.

Woodchoppers' & Timber Contractors'
TOOLS.

P. C Perkins' FALLING AXES,
P. C. Perkins' CHOPPING AXES,
P C. Perkins' SCORING AXES,
P C Perkins' DOUBLE-BITTED AXES
P. C Perkins' STEEL WEDGES.
P. C Perkins' STEEL SLEDGES.
P C. Perkins' MATTOCKS.

Above goods are all made to my order and to my pattern of BEST QUALITY OF STEEL
Also keep Atkins GENUINE Diamond Silver Steel Cross Cut Saws, at $1 ... per foot
And IMITATION Diamond Saws at 60c per foot (same pattern as kept in Portland)
KIRK SHELDON,
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SEASONABLE GROCERIES!

White Crysta Drip Syrup.
Frest Buckw eat Flour,
Curicola Coffee. Finest and only lot brought to this city
Fancy Crackers,
Canned Goods, Etc., Etc.
WEEKS & MORGAN.
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Wholesale and Retail Dealers in Fancy and Staple Groceries.

BARGAINS
AT
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108 First Street.

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Q. VOOS
HAS THE PLEASURE OF ANNOUNCING that he has fitted up the above place and has opened it as a FIRST CLASS RESTAURANT Oysters in every style.

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A YOUNG LADY OF REFINEMENT AND CUL ture desires a situation as housekeeper ladies companion governess in a nice family Address M F Lock box Portland d30d1t

JOHN L. GEORGE,
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No. 210 First Street,
Manufacturer and Repairer of LITERARY and FAN Razors Sheers Knives Skates or any cutting instruments made to order or ground and repaired at reasonable rates

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Regular Sale Days—TUESDAYS and FRIDAYS at 10 o clock A M

Regular and Peremptory Sale
We will sell at our salesroom
THIS DAY.
TUESDAY, DEC 31,
At 10 o clock A M
Household Furniture.
1 Elegant Turkish Parlor Set,
1 Elegant Plush Parlor Set
1 Walnut Bedroom Set,
1 Ash Bedroom Set
1150
Spring Mattress and Pillows
WASHSTANDS
BEDSTEADS,
STOVES
MIRRORS, Etc
CROCKERY, GLASSWARE
ALSO,
For account of whom it may concern
A Large Assortment of Candles,
Fancy Goods, Satchels,
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HOLIDAY ADVERTISEMENTS.

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TAKE NOTICE!

On the 28th of January 1879 we have contracted to enlarge our Rear Lofts and the down stairs in order to make room for our Carpet Department and Boots and Shoes, as we intend to make these two departments our specialties
Until then we will sell most of our Goods at our actual Wholesale cost and even at a little less as we prefer giving the benefit to our customers and the public in general before having the Goods stained with paint and ruined
We will merely quote a few of our leading articles

Dress Goods Department.

Elegant Shoodoes Suiting ex width pr yd 10c
Beautiful Bourette Dress Goods dble width 15
German Empress Cloth double fold 16c
Navy blue, 50in Camel s Hair at 25c
Cashmeres all wool warranted 45c
And every other grade in Dress Goods in proportion

Silk Department.

22 inch Black Gros grain silk per yard 70c
24 do do do 95c
24 inch a perfect gem $1 25
26 inch extra heavy 1 90
23 boxes Silk Velvet from $1 25 upwards.
Other grades in proportion

Domestic Department.

Lonsdale Cambric Muslin 12 yards for $1 00
Ballou & Son's Muslin 20 yards for 1 00
Calico warranted, per yard 5c

Furnishing Goods Depart't

Ladies Chemises, beautiful goods 25c
Ladies Silk Bands regular vest 50c
Boys' and Misses Vests best kind 35c
And all other goods in this line in proportion

Carpet Department.

Genuine English Carpets 10c
Genuine English Carpets, heavy 22½
Genuine English 2 Ply 20c
Genuine English 2 ply elegant design 40c
Rugs from 25 cents up to $7 00

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At prices that will astonish the most sceptical

We have over 2 bales of Colored and White Blankets which we can sell lower than Mill prices as we have bought them at the last Auction Sale at Newhall s Auction House

Just received per Idaho 200 CLOAKS which we were able to sell lower than the material can be bought. They are beautifully trimmed and good fitting

Thanking for past patronage we would say that everybody should visit us during this GREAT SALE as we want our Stock as low as possible for we may have to close up some length of time in order to give room to the Workmen

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Next door to the First National Bank

Presents for the Holidays.

Tool Chests, for Boys and Gentlemen ranging from $1 25 to $15
Club Skates, Peck & Snyder's
Flowerpot Brackets, in all styles
Sets of Carving Knives & Forks
Forks and Spoons, Silver Plated
AT
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This is the Last Two Weeks
OF THE SALE OF
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Do not miss the opportunity of buying fine HATS and BONNETS at low rates. The Stock must be closed before Jan 1st. Store Fixtures and Lease for one year for sale at that date.

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GROCERIES!
AT
THE RED FRONT

ATMORE S Mince Meat 3 lb pails $1 25
ATMORE S, and CRESS & BLACK
WELL S Plum Pudding 50c
PEACHES, 3 cans for 1 50
APRICOTS 3 cans for 1 50
CORN 3 cans for 1 00
TOMATOES 12 cans for 1 00
ASPARAGUS 3 cans for 1 25
BLUEBERRIES 4 cans for 1 00
BOSTON FISH CHOWDER, 3 cans 1 00
SALMON 1lb tins 6 cans for 1 00
SALMON, 2lb tins 4 cans for 1 00

The above goods are all of this season's packing of standard weight and well known brands and we guarantee the quality equal to any in the market

6lb Box of Starch for 65 cents
Preston & Merrill's Yeast Powder, 6 cans for 50
Donnelly s Yeast Powder, large size 7 cans for 1 00
Axle Grease, per can 25 cents
White Sugars 8 lbs for $1 00
Best Golden C Sugar, 10 lbs for 1 00
No 1 Island Sugar, 11 lbs for 1 00
Green Costa Rica Coffee, 6 lbs for 1 00
Good Cooking Raisins 10 lbs for 1 00
New Codfish, 12½ lbs for 1 00
Choice New Raisins, 5 lb box for 75 cts
Codfish Tongues and Sounds, per kit $2 75
No 1 Mackerel, per kit 2 50
And other Goods in proportion.

Weight, measure and quality guaranteed, and all goods delivered free.

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First and Madison Streets,
Offers a full Line of
Dry Goods,
Clothing,
Ladies' Dress Goods,
Boots, Shoes,
Hats & Caps,
Etc., Etc., Etc.
All of which are sold at HOLIDAY PRESENTS
Complete Stock of
Groceries and Provisions.

Holiday Presents!

THE ROGER SAW! Price, $5 00, complete.
Holly and Walnut, Blades and Patterns.
Complete Sawyer s Outfit for $5
FLOWER POT BRACKETS,
A beautiful assortment
Hardware & Cutlery
Tool Chests Pistols and Plated Ware
DAYTON & HALL,
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Sole Agents for the
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PIPER & DONOVAN,
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Office—Terwilliger s Building Room No 16 cor. Morrison and First streets

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TAYLOR & SPUHN,
Commission Merchants,
Agents for
Oregon City Bakers' Best XXX and Superfine Flour.
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Plummer Dried Fruits for Sale
500 TONS OF DRIED FRUITS
The following metals were awarded for EXCELLENCE OF FLAVOR COLOR and CONDITION of FRUIT preserved by this process viz Two Gold ... Philadelphia, 1876 ... Portland Oregon

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PIONEER WOOD YARD
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J. SORENSEN,
KINDS OF WOOD
Delivered to any part of the City

Manufacturer of
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TAX NOTICE.
... AM. NET AND TWINE CO.
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WEDNESDAY MORNING, D

PACIFIC COAST

CALIFORNIA.

Mark McDonald Gets

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 17.—T battery and threats to kill prefe E. Kelley and Robert Kelley a L. McDonald were dismissed i court to-day, the evidence failin threats and indicating that th committed in self defense. The slight suggestion that the chai preferred by the prosecuting w an improper motive.

Railroad Accident at San

SANTA ROSA, Dec. 17.—A hand ing seven persons collided with the main track of the Guerneyi the S. F. & N. P. R. R., near night, killing John J. McHale years of age. Two young ladies injured.

Driven to Suicide

MARYSVILLE, Dec. 17.—A y genteel presence, aged about 27 named Robt. B. Lutton, said t druggist in San Francisco, died city from an overdose of mo ministered. He is known to here a few days ago, and it search of a deluded wife whom house of ill-repute. After re tual efforts to have her leave a him, in a fit of despondency fatal draught which caused hi oner's inquest to-morrow.

The French Ban

At 10 o'clock this morning ex-receiver of the French ban the books of that institution t directors. The money, bonds sets of the bank in his hands a over as fast as an account of th taken and receipts given. It w or three days to make the f assets and make complete t erty. It is consequently lik time before the bank will resu

Suicide,

STOCKTON, Dec. 17.—R. H. resident of this county, com to-day by taking morphine a He was formerly engaged business, but failed. He left that he was tired of life. His

Duncan's Tri

The trial of J. C. Duncan is in the municipal criminal Casserly was on the stand. I was devoted mainly to t whether certificate No. 433 posit Company stock, on wh based, was signed by witness subsequently raised, or whet itself was a forgery. Wit the former view of the questi

A Business in Poll Ta

Long Sing & Ah Cum, who broker's shop on Jackson stre to-day on a charge of payi have been paying up poll Chinamen and selling the celestials as desired them, avoid the poll tax law.

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Silver—96@96½c.

Trade Dollars—95@96.

NEW YORK, Dec. 17—11 A. M.: at par.

Silver bullion, 1st call, 09

U. S. Bonds—5's of 1867, 1 is closed 69¾ 4½'s, 4½.

LONDON, Dec. 17—Consols, 94 account.

U. S. bonds, 5s 4½s 4½s 6%.

Silver, 5%.

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Wheat—Dull and weak. G $1 72½ alongside. New York @1 11 per bushel.

Barley—For choice brewin good coast feed sold at $1.

Corn—Small yellow sold at

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[SECOND DISPA

Wheat—Offerings of Calif small. Buyers are holding concessions. Sellers manife to lower their rates in Califo do not develop any anxious tention was to anticipate way Market weak and dull. Sale ing a lot of 80 tons.

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N Nevada—250 shs 85c, 85½, 85

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THE SOUTHERN PRODIGAL.

[From the New York Sun.]

The Prodigal Son of Scripture and of sermon,
Returning sadly from his foreign tour,
Covered, no doubt, with rags, perchance with vermin,
Bedraggled, weary, hungry, can and poor,
With bearing suited to his altered station,
Was greeted with a fat appropriation.

Although the godly elder brother grumbled,
The father's grace did none the less abound;
He thought his son sufficiently was humbled,
And only felt that then the lost was found;
So on his back the boy he kindly patted,
And killed for him the calf that had been fatted.

It doesn't follow from this ancient parable
That men or States do well when they secede,
And leave accustomed fields so rich and arable,
For stony tracts that scarce can grow a weed.
Hoping that facile parents or mild nations
Will give them calves or big appropriations.

If that same prodigal had excused his laches,
And in his train a well fed friend had brought,
Poorly concealed behind his rags and patches
(We'll say some Israelitish Colonel Scott),
Who had for veal an appetite voracious,
And bore a bag and carpetsack capacious;

And if the father had of one and t'other
His doubts about their honest ways and ends,
He would have listened to the older brother.
Have warned the younger of too costly friends,
Have watched his fatted calves, and locked his stable
And fed them coldly at the second table.

Our Southern Prodigal, there's a strong suspicion,
Is still afflicted with the itch to spend,
And thus presumes upon his new position,
And asks too much for self and greedy friend;
Not fatted calves alone, or cake and honey
He wants, but millions of his Uncle's money.

ONLY JONES.

The officers of her majesty's 24th and 81th infantry were sitting around their mess table, in Castletown, the capital of the Isle of Man, one evening more than 30 years ago—that is, all of them, except one; but then, that was only Jones. Nobody minded Jones. Even his peculiarities had begun to be an old subject for "chaffing," and, indeed, he had paid such small attention to their "chaffing" they had come to find it little pleasure, and after some weeks of discomfort, Lieut. Jones had been allowed to choose his own pleasures without much interference.

These were not extravagant. A favorite book, a long walk in all kinds of weather, and a sail when the weather was favorable. He would not drink—he said it hurt his health; he would not shoot—he said it hurt his feelings; he would not gamble—he said it hurt his conscience; and he did not care to flirt or visit the belles of the capital—he said it hurt his affections. Once Captain De Reuzy lispingly wondered whether it was possible to "hurt his honor," and Jones calmly answered that "it was not possible for Capt. De Reuzy to do so."

Indeed, Jones constantly violated all these gentlemen's ideas of proper behavior, but, for some reason or other, no one brought him to account for it. It was easier for them to shrug their shoulders and call him "queer," or say "it was only Jones," or even to quietly assert his cowardice.

One evening Colonel Underwood was discussing a hunting party for the next day. Jones walked into the room and was immediately accosted:

"Something new, Lieutenant. I find there are plenty of hares on this island, and we mean to give puss a run to-morrow. I have heard you are a good driver. Will you join us?"

"You must excuse me, Colonel; such a thing is neither in the way of duty nor my pleasure. I thank you, Colonel, for your courtesy, but I can see no good reason for accepting it. I am sure my horse will not approve of it; and I am not a good rider; therefore I should not enjoy it."

"You need not be afraid," said the Colonel rather sneeringly; "the country is quite open, and these low Manx wals are easily taken."

"Excuse me, Colonel. I am afraid. If I should be hurt it would cause my mother and sisters very great alarm and anxiety. I am very much afraid of doing this."

What was to be done with a man so obtuse regarding conventionalities, and who boldly asserted his cowardice? The Colonel turned away, half contemptuously, and Ensign Powell took Jones' place.

The morning proved to be a very bad one, with the prospect of a rising storm; and as the party gathered in the barrack yard, Jones said earnestly to his Colonel:

"I am afraid, sir, you will meet with a storm."

"I think so, Lieutenant; but we promised to dine at Gwynne Hall, and we shall get that far at any rate."

So they drove rather gloomily away in the rain. Jones attended to the military duties assigned him, and then, about noon, walked seaward. It was hard work by this time to keep his footing on the narrow quay; but amid the blinding spray and mist he saw quite a crowd of men going rapidly toward the great shelving scarlet rocks a mile beyond the town. He stopped an old sailor and said:

"Is anything wrong?"

"A little steamer, sir, off the Calf of Man; she is drifting this way; an' indeed I fear she will be to the rocks afore to night."

Jones stood still a moment, and then followed the crowd as fast as the storm would let him. When he joined them they were gathered in the summit of a huge cliff, watching the doomed craft. She was now within sight, and it was evident that her seamen had almost lost control of her. She must, ere long, be flung by the waves upon the jagged and frightful rocks toward which she was driving. In the lull of the wind, not only the booming of the minute gun, but also the shouts of the imperiled crew could be heard.

"What can be done?" said Jones to an old man, whose face betrayed the strongest emotion.

"Nothing, sir, I am afraid. If she'd managed to round the rocks she would have gone to pieces on the sand, and there are plenty of men who would have risked life to save life. But how are we to reach them from this hight?"

"How far are we above water?"

"This rock goes down like a wall, forty fathoms, sir."

"What depth of water at the foot?"

"Thirty feet or more."

"Good. Have you plenty of light, strong rope?"

"Much as you want; but let me tell you, sir, you can't live three minutes down there. The first wave will dash you on the rocks and dash you to pieces. Plenty of us would put you down, sir; but you can't swim if you go down."

"Do you know, old man, what surf swimming is? I have dived through the surf at Nukuheva."

"God bless you, sir. I thought no white man could do that same."

While this conversation was going on Jones was divesting himself of all superfluous clothing and cutting out the sleeves of his heavy pea jacket with his pocket knife. This done, he passed some light, strong rope through them.

The men watched him with eager interest, and seeing their inquisitive looks he said:

"The thick sleeves will prevent the rope cutting my body, you see."

"Ay, ay, sir; I see now what you are doing."

"Now, mates, I have only one request: Give me plenty of rope as fast as I draw on you. When I get on board you know how to make a candle, I suppose?"

"Ay, ay, sir; but how are you going to reach the water?"

"I am going to plunge down. I have dived from the main yard of the *Ajax* before this. It was a high leap."

He passed a double coil of the rope round his waist, examined it thoroughly to see that there was plenty to start with, and saying: "Now friends, stand out of the way and let me have a fair start," he lifted his bare head one moment toward heaven, and taking a short run, leaped, as from the spring board of a plunge bath.

Such an anxious crowd as followed the leap! Great numbers, in spite of the dangerous wind, lay flat on their breasts and watched him. He struck the water at least 25 feet from the cliff and disappeared in its dark, foamy depths.

When he rose to the surface, he saw just before him a gigantic wave, but he had time to breathe, and before it reached him he dived below its center. It broke in passionate fury upon the rocks, but Jones rose far beyond it. A mighty cheer from the men on the shore reached him, and now he began in good earnest to put his Pacific experience into practice.

Drawing continuously on the men for more rope—which they payed out with deafening cheers—he met wave after wave in the same manner, diving under them like an otter, and getting nearer to the wreck with every wave, really advancing more below the water than above it.

Suddenly the despairing men on board heard a clear, hopeful voice:

"Help at hand, captain! Throw me a buoy."

And in another minute or two Jones was on deck, and the cheers on the little steamer were echoed by the cheers of the crowd on land. There was not a moment to be lost; she was breaking up fast, but it took but a few minutes to fasten a strong cable to the small rope and draw it on board, and then a second cable and the communication was complete.

"There is a lady here, sir," said the captain.

"We must rig up a chair for her; she never can walk that dangerous rope."

"A slight little thing; half a child, sir."

"Bring her here."

This was no time for ceremony. Without a word, save a few sentences of direction and encouragement, he took her under his left arm, and, steadying himself by the upper cable, walked on the lower with his burden safely to the shore. The crew rapidly followed, for in such moments of extremity the soul masters the body, and all things become possible.

There was plenty of help waiting for the half-dead seamen; and the lady, her father and the captain had been put in the carriage of Braddon and driven rapidly to his hospitable hall. Jones, amid the confusion, disappeared. He had picked up an oilskin coat and cap, and when every one turned to thank their deliverer he was gone. No one knew him; the sailors said they believed him to "one of the military gents by his rigging," but the individuality of the hero had troubled no one until the danger was over. In an hour the steamer was driven on the rocks, and went to pieces; and, it being by this time quite dark, every one went home.

The next day the hunting party returned from Gwynne Hall, the storm having compelled them to stop all night, and at dinner that evening the wreck and the hero of it were the theme of every one's conversation.

"Such a pluckey fellow," said Ensign Powell. "I wonder who he was. Gwynne says he was a stranger, perhaps one of the crowd staying at the abbey."

"Perhaps," said Captain Marks, "it was Jones."

"Oh, Jones would be afraid of his mother."

Jones made a little satirical bow, and said pleasantly, "Perhaps it was Powell," at which Powell laughed and said "Not if he knew it."

In a week the event had been pretty well exhausted, especially as there was to be a great dinner and ball at Braddon, and all the officers had invitations. This had a peculiar interest, for the young lady who had been saved from the wreck would be present, and rumors of her riches and beauty had been rife for several days. It was said the little steamer was her father's private yacht, and that he was a man of rank and influence.

Jones said he would not go to the dinner, as he or Saville must remain for evening drill, and that Saville loved a good dinner, while he cared little about it. Saville could return in time to let him ride over about 10 o'clock and see the dancing. Saville rather wondered why Jones did not take his place all the evening, and felt half injured at his default. But Jones had a curiosity about the girl he had saved. To tell the truth he was nearer in love with her than he had ever been with a woman, and he wished in calm blood to see if she was as beautiful as his fancy had painted her during those few awful moments that he had held her high above the waves.

As he passed the squire remembered he had not been to dinner, and stopped to say a few courteous words, and introduced his companion.

"Miss Conyers."

"Lieutenant Jones."

But no sooner did Miss Conyers hear Lieutenant Jones' voice than she gave a joyful cry and, clapping her hands together, said:

"I have found him! Papa! Papa! I have found him!"

Never was there such an interruption in a ball. The company gathered in excited groups, and papa knew the lieutenant's voice, and the captain knew it, and poor Jones, unwilling enough, had to acknowledge the deed and be made a hero of.

It was wonderful after this night what a change took place in Jones' quiet ways. His books and boat seemed to have lost their charm, and as for his walks, they were all in one direction, and ended at Braddon Hall. In about a month Miss Conyers went away, and then Jones began to haunt the postman and to get pretty little letters, which always [illegible] a great deal of answering.

Before the end of the year he had an invitation to Conyers' to spend a month, and a furlough being granted, he started off in great glee for Kent. Jones never returned to the eighty-fourth. The month's furlough was indefinitely lengthened—in fact, he sold out and entered a diplomatic career under the care of Sir Thomas Conyers.

Eighteen months after the wreck Colonel Underwood read aloud as the same mess a description of the marriage of Thomas Jones, of Milford Haven, to Mary only child and heiress of Sir Thomas Conyers, of Conyers Castle, Kent. And a paragraph below stated that, "The Hon. Thomas Jones, with his bride, had gone to Vienna on diplomatic service of great importance."

"Just his luck," said Powell.

"Just his pluck," said Underwood; and for my part, when I come across one of these fellows again that are afraid of hurting their mothers and sisters and not afraid to say so, I shall treat him as a hero just waiting for his opportunity. Here is the Hon. Thomas Jones and his lovely bride. We are going to India, gentlemen, next month, and I am sorry the eighty fourth has lost Lieutenant Jones, for I have no doubt whatever he would have stormed a fort as he boarded the wreck."

A RENOWNED New York clergyman lately preached rather a long sermon from the text, "Thou art weighed in the balance and found wanting." After the congregation had listened about an hour, some began to get weary, and went out others soon followed, greatly to the annoyance of the minister. Another person started, whereupon the minister stopped in his sermon and said, "That is right, gentlemen, as fast as you are weighed, pass out!" He continued his sermon at some length after that, but no one disturbed him by leaving.

THE great question of the hour of Spain—Should a king marry his deceased wife's sister? It seems to us he'd ought not—not if she is really dead.

THE New York *Herald* tells of "an American young lady of 18 springs." Probably her name is Sofy.—*Boston Post.*

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"And they shall lay hands on the sick and they shall recover."—Christ in Mark xvi., 18.

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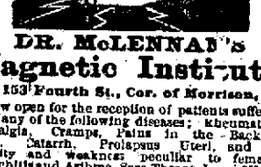

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Not long ago a stranger, evidently a farmer, stepped into

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and walking up to the Proprietor, asked: "Is this the Farmers' and Mechanics' Store?" The answer was yes; when the following dialogue took place:

(In order to save space we will designate the letter "F." for the supposed Farmer, and "Pr. F. & M." for the proprietor of the F. & M. Store.)

F.—"Well, is this the place where they give goods away, half for nothing?"

P. F. & M.—"No, sir."

F.—"Well, ain't this the place where cheap goods are sold?"

P. F. & M.—"Not altogether."

F.—"What do you do then?"

P. F. & M.—"We buy and sell merchandise."

F.—"Do not all storekeepers do the same?"

P. F. & M.—"We think they do."

F.—"How is it, then, that the people living in my locality make such a fuss over your store, and send their orders here, and many claim that you give them such great bargains, that I would like to know what it is all about?"

P. F. & M.—"I shall try and answer your question plainly. In the first place you are evidently laboring under a mistaken impression. We never sold goods half for nothing, nor did we claim to do so, nor did we ever claim to sell cheap goods nor goods cheap; it would be an impossibility for us to do either. To sell goods lower than cost would not permit us to exist. To sell cheap goods would only meet the demand of the very poorest people, whereas our immense trade is composed of the poor, middle and wealthy people, consequently we must keep all grades of goods. As for selling cheap, we use no such word. We claim to give full value for the money, which is far preferable to selling cheap, which we can show you by illustration. Suppose you go into a store and price a suit of clothing, and the salesman charges you $20 for it, saying it is cheap, very cheap; that he sold Brown just bought one like it for $25. Now, suppose you buy the suit for $20; how do you know it is cheap? The party paying $25 may have been told that the suit was cheap, and after all the real value of the suit may only be from $12 to $15."

F.—"This argument is correct enough, but it only applies to such persons as are no judges of goods and believe what the salesman tells them. But supposing a person is a judge of goods, what then?"

P. F. & M.—"I shall answer the question by asking you one. Are you a judge of goods?"

F.—"Well, no; not a good judge."

P. F. & M.—"Then you are as liable to pay $20 for a $12 suit as any one else."

F.—"Well, yes; if some fellow lied right smart and I believed him."

P. F. & M.—"Now, another question. Do you believe if you had a horse which you wanted to sell, and you knew the full value to be $80, would you ask an old horse dealer $150 for him. No, of course not. You would ask $80. Now, suppose you had a customer who knew nothing about the real value of horses, and you were certain you could get double the value of the horse by praising him up a bit, would you do it?"

F.—"Well, I'll declare. Now you have me. But clothing, dry goods, boots, hats, blankets, etc., are not horses; whereas there are few judges of horses and many judges of clothing."

P. F. & M.—"So it would appear, but in reality it is not so. There are but few people who are judges of goods; it is a study for years for a person to become a good judge of a pair of shoes, so as to know the value of them. For instance, he is obliged to know the value of the goods, the former and present price, the value and quality of the labor, the intrinsic value of the article in comparison with similar goods from other manufactories, all of which takes several years to learn."

F.—"Do you then consider the majority of people ignorant of the true value of goods?"

F. F. & M.—"No, we do not. In fact the good salesman has learned the greater part of his knowledge of goods from the people, but we mean to say that under no circumstances is it possible to find a community who are all expert judges of clothing boots and shoes. You may find a few who are expert in one or two lines, but experts are very rare."

F.—"Then the majority of the people are at the mercy of retail dealers?"

P. F. & M.—"To a great extent they are; some more than others."

F.—"You have not told me what are the advantages to be obtained by trading in this house."

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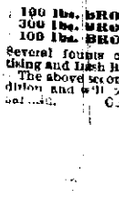

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SUNDAY MORNING, DEC., 31, 1878.

COUNTERFEIT MONEY.

How Many Easily Counterfeited and Easily Detected.

[From the New York Sun.]

When the exigencies of the war caused the national state banks to go out of existence and new notes of the national banks and the greenbacks took their place, a great relief was experienced by the public. Counterfeit, spurious, and altered notes of the forms of fraudulent money became so numerous that the counterfeit detector got to be almost as large as the family Bible. A long period elapsed before the issue of the new notes before the counterfeits made their appearance, and very great was the relief in this respect that the new notes found few opportunities.

The security against counterfeits lasted long. The enormous quantities of each denomination of the new issue offered an irresistible temptation to counterfeiters, so that now the annoyance from fraudulent notes is almost as great as during the issue of the old state money. This is signally illustrated by the growth of the counterfeit business. For a short time these publications went out of existence, but they are now flourishing, and present an exhibit of the extent of counterfeiting. In "Underwoods Counterfeit Detector" for December a table appears showing that 282 different kinds of counterfeit notes have been received. Every bank in the union is represented in this list, and great have been the number of counterfeits of some banks that in some cases has been entire ly called in and a new issue of like denomination issued in suppressed. Some idea of the number of these counterfeits may be obtained from the fact that the same counterfeit five is in circulation in many places. The counterfeit fives on the Mechanics' National Bank of New Bedford are sent to the Bureau of Redemption in many places. The counterfeit fives on the Farmers' and Drovers' National Bank of Westfield, Mass., appeared at 117 places, including Colorado, Kansas, Minnesota, Florida, Oregon, South Carolina, North Carolina, Virginia and in short, all over the United States. Under the old state bank system counterfeits were somewhat circumscribed in their issues, but now they go unsuspected to the end of the country to the great similarity of so many good notes it is profitable for the counterfeiter to spend enormous sums to procure a plate, knowing that when once obtained they may use this one plate, with slight alterations, for many years. The fortunate fact that the engravers are omitted to notice the slight variations in the genuine notes—the discrepancies of numbers and check letters—has been the principal means for the detection of counterfeits. Thus the same number often put on the name of a different State Register or Treasurer who was in office when the note was issued.

The Record publishes a curious list of counterfeit notes of various denominations that have been stolen from banks before they were issued by the bank officers. In such cases the notes would be properly numbered, and would defy detection. In the case of most counterfeit notes the chances of getting the right number and check letters are very remote. The best method of detecting fraudulent United States notes is very simple. United States notes are printed in four notes of one denomination on a sheet. Those numbers are letters—the upper and lower corner diagonally opposite, A, B, C and D. Each of these notes has a distinct number, and the notes are always numbered in regular order on the sheets; thus all notes of A will be 1, or a number which, if divided by 4 would leave 1 remainder; B will be 2, C 3, D 4, or the number will be divisible by four without a remainder. This test, while not by any means certain, will detect one-third of the counterfeits in circulation. Any United States note upon which the number can be divided by four without showing a remainder will not stand the test it should be pronounced a counterfeit. Nevertheless, it is possible that a note would stand the test may be genuine. But it is hardly safe for any one to receive suspected money without comparison with the detailed descriptions of known counterfeits.

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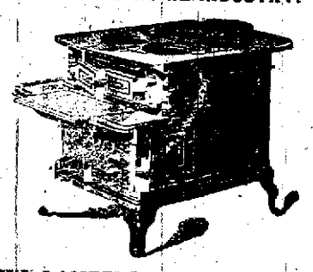

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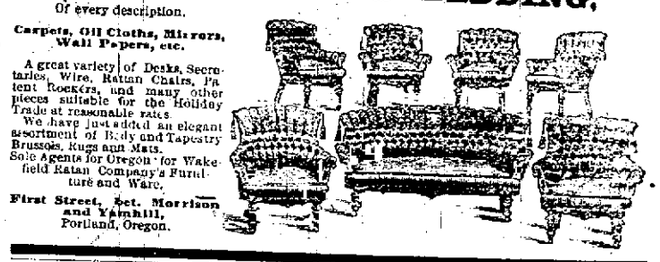

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NOTICE OF SECOND MEETING IN BANKruptcy.—In the District Court of the United States for the District of Oregon. In the matter of Rock Island Storage Co., Bankrupt. In Bankruptcy. This is to give notice that by order of said Court there will be held on the 2d day of January, A. D. 1879, at 10 o'clock P. M. at Portland, Oregon, in said district, at the office of H. H. Northrup Register in Bankruptcy for said district, the second meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt, at which time and place I shall file my accounts as assignee of the estate of said Rock Island Storage Co., bankrupt, and shall apply for a settlement of the same, and for a discharge from all liability as assignee of said estate in accordance with the provisions of section 5058 of the U. S. Revised Statutes.
H. N. BARNETT, Assignee.
Portland, Ogn, Dec. 9, 1878. d9d1aw3tM

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d8d1aw3tF Clerk of U. S. District Court.

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION.—NOTICE IS hereby given that the undersigned, P. Wasserman, has been, by the County Court of Multnomah county, State of Oregon, duly appointed administrator of the estate of N. Snyder, deceased. All persons having claims against the estate of said deceased will present the same, properly verified, to Whalley & Feckheimer, at their office, in the city of Portland. Dated at Portland, in said county and state, this 13th day of December, A. D. 1878.
P. WASSERMAN,
Administrator of the estate of N. Snyder, dec'd.
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THE PLACE TO BUY CLOTHING.

Buffalo *Express*: Unless we are greatly mistaken, Secretary Sherman is the president's first choice for the succession—if he has a choice. Some recent appointments indicate that direction.

The *Gazette* says this reception oversteps the bounds prescribed by the rules of international intercourse. Germany is surprised to see Denmark favoring an anti-German tendency, and disregarding considerations which she is bound to observe in dealing with the German

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CALIFORNIA

Mark McDonald Gets

San Francisco Dec 17—Tr ery and threats to kill prefe h Kelley and Robert Kelley s J McDonald were dismissed day the evidence failin reats and indicating that th committed in self defense The slight suggestion that the chai preferred by the prosecution w mproper motive

Railroad Accident at Sar

SANTA ROSA, Dec 17—A haun ong seven persons collided w th the main track of the Guerne ue S F & N P R R near g t killing John J McHal years of age Two young ladies injured

Driven to Suicide

KENNETT Dec 17—A y gentlet presence aged about 27 named Robt B utton said t druggist in San Francisco died ty from an overdose of mo ministered He is known to here a few days ago, and it search of a deluded wife whom house of ill repute After rej efforts to have her leave a and in a fit of despondency fatal draught which caused h ther's request to-morrow

The French Ban

At 10 o clock this morning ex receiver of the French ban the books of that institution t directors The money bonds sets of the bank in his hands s over as fast as anaccount of t taken and receipts given It w or three days to make the a assets and make complete t erty It is consequently lik time before the bank will resu

Suicide.

STOCKTON, Dec 17.—R. H. resident of this county con to-day by taking morphine a He was formerly engaged business, but failed He left that he was tired of life His

Duncan's Tri

The trial of J. C. Duncan is in the municipal criminal Casserly was on the stand was devoted mainly to t whether certificate No. 433, posit Company stock, on wh based, was signed by witness, subsequently raised, or whet itself was a forgery Wit the former view of the questi

A Business in Poll Ta

Long Sing & Ah Cum, whe broker's shop on Jackson stre to day on a charge of petty have been buying up poll Chinamen and selling the celestials as desired them, avoid the poll tax law

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Financial.

TUESDAY EVENING,

Gold in New York, 100½

Legal tenders in Portland—bu at par

silver coin—2@2½ per cent. di

SAN FRANCISCO Dec. 17.—Curre par selling

Silver—96@98c.

Trade Dollars—95@96

NEW YORK, Dec. 17—11 A. M. at par.

Silver bullion 1009 fine 09 U. S. Bonds—5s of 1867, 1 5s closed 6¾ 4¾ 4½

LONDON, Dec. 17.—Consols, 94 account.

U. S bonds, 5s 4¾, 4½s 6¾, silver, 50.

San Francisco Produce a kets.

FIRST DISPA SAN

Wheat—Dull and weak Go $1 72½ alongside New York $1 11 per bushel

Barley—For choice Arewin Good coast feed sold at $1.

Corn—Small yellow sold at

Flour—Very dull and mucl

SECOND DISPA

Wheat—Offerings of Californ small. Buyers are holding concessions. Sellers manife to lower their rates in Califor do not develop any anxious tention was to anticipate ma Market weak and dull. Salt ing a lot of 50 tons.

Oats—Market dull.

ATLANTIC MA

Wheat—83½c per bushel, 3

Wool—Quiet; fall 12@19c; 17@27c burry 13@16c, pulle

Hides—Steady at 18½@19c

Whale Oil—Dull and low 3@40c; winter bleached, 45

Sperm Oil—Matter unble bleached, 93c@$1 01

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SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 15—A Seattle Fr bk Alphonsine Oakland Port Madison sch Cleared—Ship Ocean General, Cork, by Island.

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Ophir—250 shs $40	39½
Mexican—300 shs	29½
G & C—325 shs	7¾
B & B—50 shs	9¾
Chollar—235 shs	9¾
Savage—50 shs $10	9¾
Con Va—300 shs	7¾ 8
Chollar—235 shs	9¾
Potosi—100 shs $3	8¾
Jacket—1500 shs	8¾ 15½
Alpha—70 shs	9¾
Belcher—300 shs	8¾ 4
Confidence—150 shs	8¾ 8
Imperial—500 shs	9
Kentuck—25 shs	9¾
Nevada—250 shs	8¾ 5
Utah—300 shs	8¾ 14 14½
Bullion—300 shs	4 90,
Exchequer—315 shs	3 90,
Seg Belcher—10 shs	20,
Overman—45 shs	8¾
Justice—200 shs	4 40 4 35
Succor—500 shs	70c.
Union—420 shs	8¾ 80½
Alta—215 shs	6.

AFTERNOO

Eu Con—220 shs	8¾ 9
R & E—220 shs	9 9½
Jackson—50 shs	8
Alpa—100 shs	20c.
Belmont—100 shs	35c
Leopard—145 shs	$1
Hussey—350 shs	30
Belle—100 shs	$10
Manhattan—85 shs	84 1
Prize—300 shs	8¾ 7½
Argenta—175 shs	2 80 2 9
Navajo—950 shs	45c 50
Endowment—1000 shs	10c
Defiance—250 shs	10c
Independence—1010 shs	8
Star—300 shs	50c.
Tuscarora—400 shs	5c.
Bay—240 shs	30c
Hillside—150 shs	8¾
Highbridge—750 shs	2 3
Hamburg—50 shs	75c.
Paradise—400 shs	$1 2 10
Liberty—1850 shs	60c
Bodie—10 shs	9
Bechtel—175 shs	50c
Tioga—550 shs	8¾ 1 30,
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The Daily Oregonian.
TUESDAY MORNING DEC 31 1878

PERSONAL AND GENERAL

A French commission has reported in favor of the private execution in the interior of prisons of persons condemned to death

Last year we sold England $150,000,000 worth of grain live stock meats cheese and eggs We sent over 500 000 cattle 1 000,000 sheep, 50 000 swine and 50 000 cattle

The English agricultural laborer receives the year round a little more than $5 a week with a small allowance for beer money The agricultural unions are fighting for more

Grant s house in Washington that cost him $54 000 has just been sold to an Ohio lady for $18 000 It had never been occupied and the decrease in price indicates the shrinkage of values

Nasby "The nigger hez the rite to vote We understand that and respect it But there must be limitashuns He may vote—the law sez that—but the law don t say how he shel vote That is for us

The much abused national banks of the country are in a position to either assure or defeat resumption Their general co operation with the effort of the government is a act of the highest patriotism.

We have just found out what the Afghan war is about It is because Shere Ali addressed the British government in terms of ill disguised sarcasm That was enough The troops were called out at once

The Toledo postoffice is the occasion of endless surprises. The president has nominated a woman for the chieftaincy of that place The only hope for the incumbent, if it may be compassed without bigamy is to secure the postmistress

HUMOROUS

Mrs Partington declares that she does not wish to vote, as she fears she couldn t stand the electrical franchise

An Irishman tells of a fight in which there was only one whole nose left in the crowd, and that belonged to the tea kettl

A little girl was asked the meaning of the word happy She said It is to feel as if you wanted to give all your things to your little sister

Johnny was telling a story and got his ideas mixed up At last he said Well I know all the words, but I can t thank just where to put 'em

A teacher, after reading to her scholars a story of generous deeds, asked them what generosity was One little boy raised his hand and said 'I know, it's giving to others what you don t want yourself'

An aristocratic papa, on being requested by a rich and vulgar young fellow for permission to marry one of his girls," gave this rather crushing reply 'Certainly which one would you prefer the waitress or the cook?

The other day a Detroiter who has a good record of army service, took down his revolver to shoot a cat which had been hanging about the house After looking at him while he fired six shots, the cat walked away While he was loading up for more destruction the shooter's small boy inquired 'Father, did you ever kill any one while in the army?" "I suppose so, my son" After a long pause the boy continued "Then you must have got near enough to hit 'em wish an ax, didn't you?" It was then discovered to be about school time.

OREGON.

On the 13th of December Gen Joseph Lane celebrated his 77th birthday.

At Salem on Saturday there were 200 per sons on the ice, and more on Sunday.

John Deming, an old gentleman of Independence, has been missing since Christmas night

A man named Burnett bilked Mart Taylor's show at Sheridan. He took the door money and skipped out.

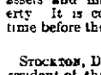
The wife and two children of C C. Boon died of diphtheria at Milton, Umatilla county, recently The children died on the same day, and the mother eight days afterward

Jacksonville *Times* The surveying party which went out to run a line of ditch from Slate creek to some gravel deposits on Rogue river returned last week, having completed its labors The survey makes the ditch about 22 miles in length To construct this would require a large outlay of capital, but when we consider that the diggings it will cover are some of the richest on the coast the success of the enterprise is not at all improbable

How Lord Salisbury Works.

(From the London Vanity Fair)

Lord Salisbury understands and carries out his business as foreign secretary in a manner heretofore unheard of It is usual for the minister who, by the accident of a parliamentary majority and the chances of cabinet



a department, to avail himself largely of the knowledge and experience of the permanent officials, who necessarily know much more of the matters with which he has to deal than he by any possibility can know himself This is especially the case with the foreign office, of the business of which very little can be learned from the newspapers When, therefore, a new man, fresh from outside ignorance, comes to the foreign office, or even a man who has been there before and consequently has already acquired some of the knowledge and the leading traditions he usually relies much upon, consults much with, imparts all his intelligence to, and is to a large extent guided by the superior permanent officials of the office. Lord Salisbury does nothing of all this The permanent officials see, as a matter of course, the overt dispatches which arrive at and leave the office, but he never communicates to them those private letters in which the real information is conveyed and by which the real business is done, he never confides to them and does not consult them on the weightier matters of policy This mode of doing business is as dangerous as it is new, for when Salisbury leaves the foreign office, which we may suppose he will do in the course of time, there will be no record left of the real course of action and nobody but himself will be able to trace the thread of the policy he has pursued What makes it the more dangerous is that Lord Salisbury has the mind and the pen rather of a smart leader writer than of a statesman It is but the other day that he was penning letter but inconsequential leaders in the *Saturday Review* at three guineas and a half a week and recent state documents like the secret memorandum and the Cyprus convention, show that the letter writer is still stronger in him than the foreign minister

Mr Richard Grant White has been snubbed by *The Telegraph* He has had the temerity to call Lord Beaconsfield to account for talking about a certain principle as "diapason of England's diplomacy," a misuse of words which as he states clearly proves that the noble Earl does not know the difference between a diapason and a key note. The London journal intimates that Mr White does not know what he is talking about and that the noble Earl used the word in its ancient signification, to wit the consonant of the octave which embraces all the sounds of the scale and technically the rule or means by which makers of musical instruments adjust the bores of flutes, clarinets, organ pipes, etc Whereupon the American critic is gravely cautioned against plunging into musical subjects "without adequate knowledge." Mr. White as it happens, is a practical musician and this sneer will only serve to amuse those who have read his musical criticisms and magazine articles Doubtless he has failed to realize how rapid has been the enlargement of British ideas under the present administration Ken bote would have betrayed the low, grovelling narrow, unpatriotic instincts of the Manchester school whereas Lidapason has a magnificent sweep taking in the whole orchestra from the conductor s waxed mustache to the brass buttons surmounting the coat tails of the young man who pounds the big drum Insular words answered for an insular policy Imperial ideas must be dressed smartly

FINANCE AND COMMERCE

Financial

MONDAY EVENING, Dec mber 9 1878

Gold in New York at par

Legal tenders in Portland—buying 99 sell at par

Silver coin—263 per cent discount

SAN FRANCISCO Dec —Currency—10 10 buying, par selling Bank receiving on deposit same as gold

Silver—97¾ 98

Trade Dollars—

NEW YORK, Dec 9—11 A M—Gold 10 0 buying, par selling Bank receiving on deposit same as gold

Silver—97¾ 98

Trade Dollars—

New York Dec 9 11 A M—Gold 10 0 buying at par Silver 8

U S Bonds 10 1 10 10¾ 5s of 1881 10 as closed

London Dec —Consols 94 1 10

U S bonds 5s 1 08

Silver, 49

San Francisco Produce and General Markets.

[FIRST DISPATCH]

SAN FRANCISCO Dec 9

Wheat—No sales $1 73½ reserved for extra choice New York market quiet

Barley—Dull and weak

Corn—Nothing doing

Flour—Quiet and unchanged

[SECOND DISPATCH]

Cereals—Markets all dead and nominal no one willing to venture

Oats—Market fair but at lower prices Sales comprise about 5 000 sks of poor at $1 common $1 fair at $1 30 good at $1 8 @1 40 choice Light sound at $1 50—all made yesterday afternoon

ATLANTIC MARKETS

CHICAGO Dec 28

Wheat—Steady per bushel January delivery

NEW YORK Dec 28

Wool is very quiet Spring California lots fall 1

English Wheat Market

LONDON Dec 28—Floating cargoes inactive cargoes on passage and for shipment slow Market Lane inactive

Quotations of good cargoes off coast per 480 lbs e a damage for sellers account less than 2½ per cent commission Red Cal or Mld wheat, just d @40s red winter 41s California 45@46s

Good shipping California wheat on passage per 500 lbs Queenstown for orders just shipped or to promptly shipped 45s6d nearly due 45s 6d, fair average Cal. Mld. per shipment during present month and following one per 480 lbs Am Ig ms 38@37s 6d.

English country markets steady

French country markets steady

LIVERPOOL Dec 28—Wheat market on spot slow Fair to choice shipping club per central 9s 6d@9s 8d fair to choice shipping California per central 9s 3d @9s 5d red Am spring shipping Club No 4 7s 6d@8s 4d

Home Produce Market.

WHEAT—The market is steadier and quieter than last week the greater proportion of transactions being made on the basis of our prices The range of the market however is still between $1 60@1 67½ for good shipping to $1 70 for choice lots

FLOUR—Quotations are as follows Oregon City Mills, McLeran Salem Flouring Mills and standard brands of extra in jobbing lots $5@5 25 per bbl, country extra, $4 75@5 superfine $3@3 50

OATS—There is an active demand and the light receipts are freely taken at 42½@45c per bushel

MILL FEED—Moderate supply, bran quotable at $15 per ton shorts $22 50@25, middlings $27 50@30 per ton

HAY—Good baled $13 loose $10@11per ton

POTATOES—The market is firmer at quotations. Quotable from first hands at 70c@80c per bushel, according to variety.

ONIONS—In fair demand for the local trade, and for shipment, quotable at 2c per lb for best varieties.

BACON—Quotations are 11@12c for sides, 12½@ 15c for hams, and 7½@8½c for shoulders

LARD—The demand is good and the market steady at 10@12½ cents per lb in tins and kegs.

DAIRY PRODUCTS—Butter solid, 15@20c per lb choice dairy 30@35c, cheese, quotable at 15@16c per lb

EGGS—The demand is dull or at 35c per doz

CHICKENS—Very choice hens $3 per doz, common $2@3 50

DRIED APPLES—Quotable at 4½@5c per lb for sun dried

DRIED PLUMS—With pits, 4½@5c pitless 6 @7½ per lb

WOOL—Valley 15@19, Eastern Oregon from 12½@17

Shipping Intelligence.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

LIVERPOOL, Dec 27,—Sailed—Br bk Abernyle, San Francisco

SHATTER Dec 29—Sailed—Bk J B Bell San Francisco Dec 30—Bktne Tam O Shanter, San Francisco

ASTORIA Dec 30—Messrs. Trenchard & Upshur telegraph at 9 A M—Stmr Idaho crossed out at 7 A M wind strong, northeast, clear and cold bar smooth At 11 A M—Stmr California from Sitka arrived at 10 A M, stmr Geo W Elder from San Francisco at 11 A M bar smooth

SAN FRANCISCO Dec 30—Arrived—Bk Annie Main Iquiqui schr San Buenaventura Port Binkely

Cleared—Barships Simla and County of Inverness; bktne Mauleden Queenstown

Sailed—Stmr Newberne, Guaymas, stmr Empire Victoria ship Maj Stiles, bk Gem of the Ocean Seattle bk Oakland Port Madison bk Amethyst Honolulu bktn Portland, Columbia river

SAN FRANCISCO Dec 29—Sailed—Bk David Hoadley, Port Gamble, schr Salem Thayer Port Townsend

Thursday—Stmr Arcata, Cooksey Saturday—Stmr City of Peking, Hong Kong stmr Granada Panama stmr Oregon Portland

MELBOURNE, Dec 28—Sailed—Bk C L Taylor, Port Townsend

KOBE, Nov 1—Sailed—Ship Wealthy Pendleton, Puget Sound

VICTORIA B C Dec 30—Arrived—Am bk Wealthy Pendleton Hong Kong Dec ship Beechcraft Annabess Bombay

Sailed—S S Dakota San Francisco bk Marathon Australia bk Antioch Oonalaska

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Caledonia—[illegible] shs	
Savage—150 shs	[illegible]
Con Va—[illegible] shs	$7
Chollar—[illegible] shs	[illegible]
Hale & Norcross—[illegible] shs	$11
Potosi—[illegible] shs	$5
Jacket—[illegible] shs	$14
Imperial—[illegible] shs	
Kentuck—240 shs	$
Alpha—[illegible] shs	$10
Belcher—[illegible] shs	$2 60
Confidence—[illegible] shs	
Utah—[illegible] shs	$10
Bullion—[illegible] shs	$
Exchequer—[illegible] shs	$1
Overman—[illegible] shs	
Justice—[illegible] shs	
Alta—[illegible] shs	$
Lady Bryan—[illegible]	
Julia—300 shs	$1
Con Imperial—[illegible] shs	
Gould & Curry—[illegible] shs	
Challenge—[illegible] shs	$1
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Sentinel—[illegible] shs	
Bodie—[illegible] shs	
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Ward—[illegible] shs	$1
Scorpion—[illegible] shs	
Justice—[illegible] shs	
Con Va—[illegible] shs	
Hale—[illegible] shs	
Silver—[illegible] shs	
Flag—[illegible] shs	

AFTERNOON SALES

Ophir—[illegible] shs	
Valley—[illegible] shs	
Belcher—[illegible] shs	
Bullion—[illegible] shs	
Julia—[illegible] shs	
Jacket—[illegible] shs	$1
Justice—60 shs	10c
Exchequer—[illegible] shs	$1
Atlanta—100 shs	$
Navajo—500 shs	40c
Endowment—[illegible] shs	30c
Independence—550 shs	$10
Belle Isle—300 shs	20c
Hillside—100 shs	$2
Highbridge—[illegible] shs	$
Paradise—[illegible] shs	
Summit—[illegible] shs	$1
Bulwer—150 shs	$1
Goodshaw—[illegible] shs	50c
Oriental—100 shs	
Belcher—[illegible] shs	50
Sierra Nevada—200 shs	
Alta—[illegible] shs	
Mono—[illegible] shs	
San Pacific—[illegible] shs	
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